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SELECT STORY.

HER LAST CARPET.

The clothes-line, stretched from the June apple-tree to the mulberry tree, and on to the great ox-heart cherry-tree in Mrs. Gideon Huff's back-yard, had for several days flaunted strips of bright green, orange yellow and dark crimson cotton, newly dyed.

On Monday there appeared several yards of pale blue, and on Tuesday a strip of bright red. When Mrs. Huff hung the last strip on the line, round, red, arms akimbo, nodded her pink sunbonneted head to and fro in an approving manner, and said:

"Well, I've had good luck with ev'ry single piece. If I'd made the aniline dye a leetle mite darker, it'd mebbe looked better along with the green an' yeller in the twisted stripe I callate on having, but it'll look mighty purty as 'tis. I must git my log wood an' copperas ready for the rest of my rags, an' git 'em all ready for the rag-sewin' Friday, for they've got to go to the weaver a-Saturday."

Mrs. Huff's rag carpets had taken the first premium at the county fair every autumn for three years, and she was laying her plans again this year to capture the blue ribbon and the five dollar prize. She had a way of getting up "twisted stripes," and coloring and warping the chain, that no one could imitate. Her neighbors often said that they would rather have one of Harriet Huff's striped rag carpets than a two-ply ingrain. She made a great point of having her rags cut very fine, and sometimes lay awake at night planning something new in the way of "hit-an'-miss fillin'."

"She cuts up our duds fer carpet rags 'fore we've half worn 'em out," said Mr. Gideon Huff, a little irritably. "When a woman gits to makin' rag carpets, a man's red flannins ain't safe a minute, unless he puts 'em in the back in his own name, an' my blue overalls gin'rally go into a ball of carpet rags 'fore I've wore 'em a dozen times."

The carpet Mrs. Huff was now making was to eclipse all of her former efforts. She had actually dreamed of something new in twisted stripes, and had risen in the middle of the night to make fast and safe the dream-sent idea by winding the colors in the right order around a strip of pasteboard. Then she went back to bed saying to herself:

"Now if I could only dream of something new in fillin'!"

But such a dream did not come, although she was a great dreamer, and stoutly maintained that she often "dreamed out things," and that her dreams came true. Being thus a firm believer in dreams, she occasionally even invited dreams by overloading her stomach at night.

"If I eat an ordinary light supper," she said, "I don't dream much; but if I eat pickles and cheese and cake, and a lot of stuff of that kind, I dream a sight," which was no doubt true.

She "made a rag-sewin'" that week to finish up her hit and miss rags, but the rags for that wonderful stripe were all to be sewed with her own hands. Eight or ten of her neighbors came to the "rag-sewin'." Each of them brought her needle and thimble, and sewed carpet rags and laughed and gossiped in the most agreeable way all the afternoon, and in the evening their husbands came to supper.

Not even to these ladies did Mrs. Huff disclose the pattern of her "dreamed out" stripe, although she informed them that they could confidently expect to see such a rag carpet as they'd never before seen, when the fair opened two weeks later.

Her household duties occupied her time more than usual at that season of the year, so that she could sew only at night, and each night she sat up until very late sewing on the green and crimson and yellow and blue and black and white rags for the stripe in her carpet.

It was after midnight on Friday when the last ball was sewed and wound and weighed, and ready to go to the weaver's on the morrow.

"The stripe can't be improved on I jest know," said Mrs. Huff, as she put the rags away in stout grain bags, and tied them up. "But I can't decide just how to have the colors in the chain warped, or whether to have the light and dark rags all mixed up, or sep'rate in the hit-an'-miss. I do wonder if I can't dream it out to-night? I'm all tired out, and I dream best when I'm that way. Mebbe if I eat a big piece of gooseberry pie and a piece of cheese 'fore I go to bed, I'll dream something uncommon. I read the other day of a great poet who wrote half a poem, and couldn't finish it to suit him, and he went to bed and dreamed the other half all out plain as dry, and got up in his night gown and finished up. I'm sure if a person could dream out a fine poem, I'd ought to be able to dream out a common rag carpet pattern."

Thus reasoning to herself, Mrs. Huff ate her pie and cheese and went to bed and, being very tired, soon dropped asleep.

She was sleeping heavily when her husband called her in the morning. Her first words when she arose were:

"Well, it didn't do any good. I didn't dream anything about that carpet, although I did dream of forty other things. I must hurry up my work, and have Gideon take me and the rags over to the widow Watt's, and see myself that she understands just how that carpet's got to be wove."

But when, two hours later, she went into her little sewing room to get her rags and chain, they were not to be found.

"Gideon," she called to her husband, who was putting the horses to the light wagon in the barn-yard, "have you carried them rags out to the wagon?"

"No," called back Mr. Huff, I ain't seen your old rags. I'll be glad when I have seen the last of 'em, and you've done a-settin' up o' nights a-puddlin' over 'em, and undermindin' your constitution and your health."

"Well," they ain't here," said Mrs. Huff, "and I left them here last night, all ready to be carried out. Hanner, 'ev you seen them rags?"

"No," replied Hannah, the hired girl, "I ain't seen a solitary thing of 'em."

"That's queer," said Mrs. Huff, irritably. "They never tuk legs and walked off of their own accord. Sam, I don't s'pose you've seen anything of my rags?"

Sam, the farm hand, happened to pass the open window at that moment.

"Your rags, Mis' Huff. What rags?"

"Why, my carpet rags."

"Didn't know you had any," replied Sam, briefly, as he went unconcernedly on his way.

Then began an active search for the rags. Mr. Huff was called in, and so singular was the disappearance of such bulky articles, that he joined in the search with considerable interest.

"It's the queerest thing!" said Mrs. Huff, for the fifteenth time, as she looked into places in which the bags of rags could not possibly be. "It's my opinion," she said at last, "that somebody has stolen those rags. They must have done it! They never got away alone; any one with common-sense knows that."

No trace of the thief could be found, but one could easily come and go without the family knowing it, as the doors and windows were seldom fastened. In fact, some of them had been left wide open the night before to admit the cool air at the close of a hot day.

After an hour of unraveling search Mrs. Huff dropped wearily into a chair, and said, in a chocking voice, "Well, they're gone, and gone for good, and so's my chance of getting the prize at the fair next week. Somebody must have stolen 'em. I reckon now that Calisty Horn will get the premium with her carpet."

"Well, well, what if she does?" said Mr. Huff, consolingly. "You've had it three years hand runnin,' and you'd ought to give somebody else a chance, anyhow.'

"They all have just as good a chance as I've had,' replied Mrs. Huff. "And the premium aint nothing at all compared to the loss of that carpet that I had callated sure on putting down in the settin'-room this fall."

The rags were not found in the days that intervened before the fair, and Mrs. Calisty Horn's carpet did get the first premium.

"And such a looking carpet as it was," said Mrs. Huff, somewhat spitefully. "The rags was half an inch wide, and she'd got too much copperas in her coloring, and the stripe was nothing to compare to what mine would have been.,,

Her loss and defeat weighed heavily on Mrs. Huff, and she lay awake a long time thinking the whole matter over after she had gone to bed, when she came home from the fair.

Sometime after midnight Mr. Huff awoke to find himself alone in bed, and as he opened his eyes he fancied he saw some one pass the door leading into the hall,

"Harriet," he called is that you?" There was no reply.

"I wonder," he said, "if that woman has got up in the dead of night to begin on another carpet. She shan't do it! Harriet, what are you doing? You sick?"

Still Harriet did not answer. Mr. Huff arose, wrapped a quilt around him, lighted a candle and started out to investigate. As he stepped into the hall he heard a noise as of some one moving around in an unused attic room above him, a room had not been entered for weeks, which was now filled with all the odds and ends of things that will collect in a house as the years go on, and which a great many people save, under the impression, usually a delusion, that they will sometime "come handy."

Among the useless rubbish stowed away in Farmer Huff's attic was the frame of an old carpet loom on which Mrs. Huff had woven many a carpet in her younger days; but years had passed since the loom had been in use. The moonlight streaming in through a window showed Mr. Huff that the attic door was opened, but there was no other light in the room.

"Harriet Huff!" he cried, "what in creation air you doing up there at this time o'night? Hunting some more tormented old rags? Come right back to bed! You'll get your death o' cold roamin' round at night!"

She took no notice of his querulous remarks, but he heard no more sounds in the attic. But he was too much troubled to let the matter rest as it was, and accordingly mounted the stairs and entered the attic room. There he saw something that caused him to open both eyes and mouth with amazement.

At the old loom sat Mrs. Huff in her night clothes. In one hand she held an old wooden shuttle, while with the other she fumbled around in a grain bag full of carpet rag balls leaning against a post of the loom. Drawing forth a ball of the "hit-an'-miss rags she slowly began winding it on the shuttle, which she then passed to and fro through an imaginary warp. The reed and batten bars were gone, but Mrs. Huff went slowly through the motions of using them.

The amazed Mr. Huff at once noticed that her eyes were closed, and his belief that she had become a "stark, staring, loonytic, changed into the more agreeable thought that she was simply sound asleep. His eyes rested on the missing carpet rags, and he mentally ejaculated:

"Brought 'em up here herself in her sleep two weeks ago by Jinks! What's goin' to become of her if she goes to makin' carpets both when she's asleep and awake? Her intellekshel reason will give way. That's what'll happen to her! No born woman could stand it, and it'll be mighty hard on all of us. She shan't make nary nother carpet! I'll buy body bristles for every room in the house, first! Harriet Diany Huff, wake up and git to bed where you b'long!"

Mrs. Huff did not wake and Mr. Huff hesitated before speaking again:

"They say," he said to himself, "that it ain't safe to wake up sleep-walkers or somnambulances suddenly. Mebbe she'd have a fit if I woke her, though she don't come of a fitty family. I'll just see what she does."

A moment later Mrs. Huff slowly left the loom, and, with eyes still closed, shut the attic door behind her, walked down stairs, and returned quietly to her bed.

"It beats all," said Mr. Huff, as he quietly lay down beside her, "but she shan't meddle with carpet rags no more, she shan't"

In the morning she said while dressing: "I dreamed 'bout weaving me a carpet at my old loom last night. I've had sev'ral such dreams lately."

"Hev?" queried Mr. Huff, dryly. "That reminds me that I want to show you something in the old loom room. Come right up!"

"Wait till after breakfast."

"No, I've got more time now."

"There you air, Harriet Huff," said Mr. Huff, dramatically, as he threw open the attic door, and waved his hands toward the bag of rags.

"Gideon Huff!" she said, as she sank down on an old hair-covered trunk, with her hands upraised.

"I'd say 'Gideon Huff' if I was you," he replied; then he went on solemnly, occasionally shaking his finger toward her. "Harriet Diany Huff, I ain't got much to say to you, but what I do say is solemn and pertickler, and I mean it. You've made your last rag carpet! Your intellekshell reason' is given' 'way under the strain of it, to say nothin' of our duds 'bein out up 'fore they're half wore out, and you in a stiddy pickle and stew over your colorin' and twisted stripes. You drug them rags up here in your sleep, and las' night I ketched you up here goin' through weavin' motions in your sleep. Your mental brain powers is becoming exhausted over carpet-rags, and you've got to give 'em up for good and all, premiums or no premiums."

So Mrs. Huff, greatly shocked when told of her performance, did give up all rag carpet making, although the beautiful twisted stripe of her visions and dreams became a reality as soon as the rags could be carried to the widow Watt's.

Dream-provoking food at midnight was also wisely given up in obedience to Mr. Huff's demand that his wife should do nothing to impair her "intelleckshel reason."

This is a true story, and the reader can draw the moral from it.—*Youth's Companion.*

When to Hunt and Fish.

A HANDY THING TO HAVE PASTED UP—CUT IT OUT.

No laws seem to be so hard for people to remember as the game and fish laws. This is partly due to the fact the Legislature is constantly changing and altering them, and partly to the disposition of the average citizen to disregard the laws and to fish and hunt when and how he pleases. The latest game and fish laws make the open seasons as follows:

Ducks, September 1 to May 15; plover, July 15 to January 1; woodcock, July 4 to January 1; quail, November 1 to December 15; pheasant, October 1 to January 1; rail and reed birds, September 1 to December 1; turkey, October 15 to January 1; squirrels, September 1 to January 1; rabbits, November 1 to January 1; bass and salmon, May 30 to January 1; pike and pickerel, June 1 to December 1; German carp, September 1 to May 1; brook trout, April 15 to July 15; deer, October 1 to December 1.

The scalp bounties are as follows: For every wolf, $10; wildcat, $2.00; red or gray fox, $1.00; mink, 25 cents.

Fishing with nets and seines is forbidden altogether, under a penalty of $100 and six months imprisonment in the county jail. Fish dams are forbidden, under penalty of $50 for first offense and $100 for second offense. Nets can be used for the catching of suckers, catfish and eels in private streams other than trout streams.

No wild birds other than game birds shall be killed. The following are considered game birds:

The *antidæ*, known as swan, geese, brant, river and sea ducks; the *rallidæ*, known as rails, coots, mud hens and gallinules; the *limicolæ*, known as shore birds, plover, surf birds, snipes, woodcock, sand pipers, tattlers and curlew; the *gallinæ*, known as wild turkeys, grouse, prairie chicken, pheasants, partridges and quail; and the *columbæ*, known as doves and wild pigeons. Penalty $10 to $50.

The above is a brief synopsis of the laws made up from a careful reading of the game and fish laws up to 1889.

Hunting or fishing on Sunday is forbidden under a penalty of $25.

THE ENGLISH SYNDICATES.

A LIVERPOOL MAN WHO SAYS THEY ARE A MYTH.

H. D. Porteus, an English capitalist and one of the largest English importers of American flour, is in Pittsburg. Mr. Porteus' principal officials are in Liverpool and he is one of the foremost merchants of that place. A reporter met him in the office of Marshall Kennedy & Co. and in a general conversaiton Mr. Porteus remarked: "The much-talked-of 'English syndicates,' which seem to be agitating your country recently, and to which the newspapers have devoted considerable attention, have caused English capitalists to laugh heartily.

"Why, there is not a trade man in England who knows any of the men who compose these English brewery syndicates, etc. None of the big business men in Liverpool, London or any other of the large cities know anything about such transactions. Another point, and one which knocks the deal in the head is this: The business men on the other side of the pond recognize the Americans as being very shrewd business men. Now do you suppose that when Americans are making so much money in their business, with such profits as 30, 40 and 50 per cent., they would allow Englishmen of money to gobble up the plants unless there was plenty of money in it and big chances? The English see this and if they could get control of a brewery what's to prevent the man who sold out from starting another establishment? As soon as an American wants to sell out an Englishman becomes suspicious, as they well know Americans are not throwing any money away."

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Typhoid fever is prevailing to an alarming extent in the northern townships of Berks and Lehigh counties, and a number of deaths have occurred.

BADLY SCARED BY A WATCH.

SERVANTS THOUGHT THE TIMEPIECE WAS THE ABODE OF WITCHES.

For years Dr. Allen, the Scottish physician, was suspected of being a wizard, an opinion which was confirmed when, in 1630, he provided himself with a silver watch of the regulation size and style. Chancing to stop with a neighbor over night, and it being somewhat cold he laid the watch near his body and covered it with the bedquilts, so that the chilly weather would not affect the works. Next morning he arose rather abruptly and left the house without removing his treasure from its cosy nest in the bed.

In fixing up the room the servant discovered "the infernal chattering thing" and immediately concluded it must be the old doctor's "familiar spirit," conclusions which she hardly arrived at before she had fled wildly from the room. Other servants were called and the whole array charged the "chattering thing" in the bed. Clubs and tongs were freely used, but the case was strong and the thing chattered defiantly. One of the girls, more courageous than the others, finally agreed that she would take the tongs and carry the thing to the moat and drown it, a proceeding fraught with danger but at last decided upon. The others followed at a respectable distance with hoes, clubs and shovels, with which they proposed to pounce on the thing should it attempt to attack the heroic girl. When the old doctor returned for his watch he was informed of what had been done, one of the servants leading the way to where the thing had been drowned. It was found hanging on a bush on the bank of the moat. The failure to beat or drown the thing to death fully convinced the servants that it was in reality the old wizard's spirit, and they could not be pursuaded to touch it.

The story is related to show what rarities watches must have been even at that late period of the seventeenth century.

In 1796 one of the admirers of Geo. III. caused to be made for that monarch a watch which was a marvel in its way. It had a calender hand which pointed to the days of the month and year. Instead of making a revolution every month, like calendar watches of to-day, it took the whole 365 days to get once around. The dial-plate was only two inches in diameter, therefore the figures must have been very minute, otherwise the 365 numerals could not have been arranged around the border.

The annual dial-calendar was but one of a number of extras with which this watch was provided. A moveable diamond performed diurnal revolutions as regularly as did the great orb after which it was modeled; it struck the hours, the half hours and the quarters, while an inside dial-plate revolved in a manner clearly exhibiting the variations of the seasons.

The English House of Commons, following a suggestion of Sir Issac Newton, appointed a committee June 11, 1714 with power to offer a reward of £50,000 to any one who would invent an accurate time-keeper for use at sea in determining longitude. After many years of labor and study the invention was announced as perfected. However, the inventor, one John Harrison, did not receive the reward for his labor until Sept 14, 1764.

Keyless watches have been known for the past 100 years, but not until within the past twenty five have they come into general use.

It would take columns to enumerate all the dainty and wonderful little timepieces that have been made during the past 200 years. They have been made no larger than peas, and set in rings for physicians to facilitate the counting of the pulse. They have been fixed in bracelets, brooches, eyeglasses, tops of umbrella-handles and even on the ends of lead-pencils, where they occupy the same position as the rubber on the average Faber.

In 1883 a watchmaker of Dresden exhibited a watch made entirely of paper. The paper was chemically prepared and the maker claimed that it would be as serviceable as if made of the material ordinarily used.

The same year at a fair held at Worcestershire, England, Crowther Bros. & Co. exhibited one made entirely of iron.

An ingenious prisoner at Karlaus, Bohemia, recently constructed a watch eight centimeters in diameter, with no other tools or material except two needles, a spool of thread, a newspaper and some rye straw. The wheels, posts, and cogs are all made of rye straw, which it is well known is quite coarse and tough. It runs six hours without winding and keeps good time. It is now in possession of the prefect of Karlaus, who considers it the greatest marvel of the nineteenth century.

The most ingenious, perfect and complex watch ever manufactured was sent out from the works of Patek, Phillippe & Co., of Geneva, Switzerland, in July, 1887, and is now in possession of Baron Nickolas. It is what is known as the full-sized "hunter." On one side there is a dial of the regulation kind, exhibiting the hour, minute and second hands; also an independent chronograph hand which marks the fifth of seconds. The same dial has repeating mechanism which strikes the hours, quarters and minutes.

The opposite dial has hands pointing to the months, weeks and days. Another large central hand on this dial, it set at the beginning of each year correctly points to all moon phases and also acts as a perpetual calendar. It is so constructed as to admit of its keeping two different times, say standard on one side and sun time on the other.

Quite a Relief.

Miss Jones: "How good of you, doctor, to come to talk with me!"

Doctor: "Oh, not at all. I have listened to so much clever talk this evening that it will be quite a rest to listen to you, Miss Jones, I assure you."

His Chance for Life.

Sympathetic Citizen—Is he fatally wounded, do you think, officer?

Policeman—Two av the wounds is fatal, sor, but the third is not, if an' we can lave him rest for a fwhile I think he wud come around all right.—*Grit.*

"GREEN GOODS" SWINDLE.

A BERKS COUNTY FARMER LOSES $300 IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET RICH SUDDENLY.

An aggravated "green goods" case has just come to light at Reading, whereby a farmer named Hornberger was swindled out of $300. He resides near Mohnsville and some time ago he came into possession of a typewritten circular, dated New York, and containing a strictly confidential proposition to furnish any amount of beautifully executed greenbacks that could not be distinguished from the genuine, at the price of $100 for $1500. He showed it to his wife and after various consultations, they thought the scheme was a good one and agreed to purchase $4500, and with the proceeds furnish a new house which they had just completed,

As Mr. Hornberger had never been in New York he engaged a hatter, of this city to accompany him, and drawing the requisite amount of money out of the bank they started for the metropolis. They called at the address indicated in the circular, where they were shown piles of beautiful greenbacks that looked as good as any they had ever seen, and the $300 was duly invested.

They were told by the seller of the goods that it would not be prudent to carry it with them, and that it would be best to send it by express. In order to insure good faith he was allowed to pack the money himself in a box furnished by the dealer. When it was packed and directed, the buyer took it to the express office and dispached it to his address. He was told by the seller that his safest plan would be to conceal the box for a few days after its arrival.

Accordingly when he came home he buried it in his barnyard for a few days. When he finally opened the box he found of course that it contained a few blocks of wood and some clay. He was very much disappointed and angry and wanted to compel the hatter who accompanied him to bear half the loss. The latter demurred to this and told the story to his neighbor.

THE JOHNSTOWN RELIEF.

FINAL PAYMENTS TO BE MADE SHORTLY—THE REINTERRING OF THE VICTIMS.

All the necessary papers for the final distribution of the relief fund by the State Committee have been made out, and it is announced that payments will shortly begin. Checks will be used as heretofore, payable at the First National Bank. There is not one out of a dozen of those who did not buy the bulk of his stock on the strength of the hope that he would receive enough from the relief fund to set him nearly to rights again.

The announcement that the distribution will soon begin has put a new countenance on most people, and it is believed that when the money is actually paid there will be such a boom in Johnstown as few places of its size has seen.

Secretary Kremer, of the Flood Relief Commission, has completed a plan for reinterring in one plot in Grand View Cemetery the bodies of the unknown dead victims of the Johnstown disaster who are now buried in a number of places, many of them from the necessity of the case in a manner far from satisfactory. The Cemetery Association has set apart an elegant plot and the commission has appropriated a sum of money sufficient to have the graves properly cared for. The collection of bodies in this way will be utilized in perfecting the records, which, particularly as to the interments of the first few day, are very defective.

Another body was taken from a cellar Thursday. It was that of a middle aged female about four feet six inches in height.

THE PROFESSIONAL SOLDIER VOTE.

We do not believe that the soldier vote, as such, is to be swayed by the pension bids of party. We believe that honest soldiers will vote as they fought, "not for money but for honorable and patriotic reasons. If we are wrong, if the enormous pension payments, as the Tanner doctrine and its commendation imply, are substantially the price of soldier votes, then there is no more dangerous, because venal, vote in the country. The conduct of the Administration both in the appointment and the removal of Tanner betrays its apprehension that veterans will vote against the Republican party because they may not get as much money as they hoped for from Tanner. This is a droll way of conciliating honorable American citizens.—*Harper's Weekly.*

LIFE IS TOO SHORT

and time and money too precious, to be frittered away in the trial of uncertain means of cure, when one is afflicted with any lingering or chronic ailment of the liver, lungs or blood. Now, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is such a positive remedy for all such ills, as to warrant its manufacturers in selling it, as they are doing, through druggists, on condition that if it don't do all that it is recommended to, the money paid for it will be promptly refunded. There are a great many blood purifiers advertised, but only the "Golden Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce could sustain itself and be sold under such trying conditions. To sell any ordinary medicine under such guarantee, would bankrupt its proprietors, but with the "Golden Medical Discovery" all that is asked for it is a fair trial, and if it don't do all that it is advertised to, the manufacturers will cheerfully and promptly refund all the money paid for it. By this singularly peculiar method of business, alike liberal to purchasers and exacting to the manufacturers, the invalid can be sure of getting the value of his money, which is not true of any other medicine. All diseases arising from torpid liver, or from impure or poisoned blood, are conquered by the "Golden Medical Discovery." Especially has it manifested its marvelous potency in curing Salt-rheum, Tetter, Eczema, Psoriasis, Impertigo, Erysipelas, and all scalp diseases, no matter of how long standing. Scrofulous affections, sores and swellings, as Fever-sores, White Swellings, Hip-joint Disease and kindred ailments yield to its positive, purifying, strengthening and healing properties. Lung-scrofula (commonly known as Consumption of the Lungs) also yields to it, if it be taken in time and given a fair trial. Contains no alcohol to inebriate, no syrup or sugar to ferment and impair digestion; as wonderful in its curative results as it is peculiar in composition. Don't accept any substitute, said to be "just as good," that the dealer may make a larger profit.

A Bent Twig.

"Well, Herr Schulze, what are you going to do with your boy?"

"I think I shall have to let him join the police, for I never can find him when I want him."

The Columbian.

G. E. Elwell, J. K. Bittenbender., } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1889.

Superintendent Kimball, of the Life-saving Service, has received reports showing that during the recent great storm on the Atlantic coast relief was given to forty-seven vessels and 301 persons were rescued. On the Delaware coast near Lewes, where the full force of the storm was felt, 194 persons were rescued from twenty-two vessels, while on the Virgina coast twenty-three persons from three vessels and other stations on the coast made up the full number of saved.

A MATTER AT ISSUE.

During the late session of the legislature Hon. S. M. Wherry, representative from Cumberland county, made the charge that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund had sold over a million dollars' worth of United States bonds belonging to the State which brought $60,000 interest to the state treasury every year and that the proceeds of this sale of the United States bonds were deposited in certain banks without interest. This charge was couched in the plainest and most specific language, and Mr. Wherry moved that the House appoint a special committee to inquire into the management of the Sinking Fund and the treasury under which this achievement in financiering was accomplished. But the republican House, with Speaker Boyer, (now the republican candidate for State Treasurer) at its head, deliberately refused to make the inquiry.

The only explanation of this remarkable financial transaction which has been vouch-safed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund is that the United States bonds were sold with a view of employing the proceeds of the sale in the purchase of State bonds, but that when the Commissioners appeared in the market for the purpose of buying State bonds the holders of the latter insisted upon a premium which the Commissioners regarded as exorbitant. This is simply a confession of incapacity, not to say stupidity, on the part of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. They knew that no State bonds were overdue at the time they sold the United States bonds. They knew that as they could not compel the presentation of underdue State bonds for redemption they would be at the mercy of the holders of the State bonds. They knew, too, that the State could gain nothing, but must lose, by the sale of United States bonds even if the State bonds could be bought at a reasonable premium. This explanation. therefore, fails to explain.

Do the people of Pennsylvania approve of a management of the treasury bywhich the state loses $60,000 in interest annually, a loss which must be made good by taxation? Are the voters of the state ready to endorse Henry K. Boyer, the republican candidate for State Treasurer, who as Speaker of the House of Representatives stifled the inquiry in to the management of the Treasury proposed by Representative Wherry? Can fealty to party cover quite this glaring infidelity to the public interest? These questions are submitted to the candid and in telligent judgment of the voters what ever may be their political affiliation, in the confident belief that they will decide then at the polls, not as the blinded slaves of party, but as free and thoughtful citizens.—*Patriot.*

SILVER WEDDING.

There comes to nearly every family who cares to observe them, some porticularly happy and important social event to make it desirable to celebrate it in a manner befitting its importance. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the marrage of Richard Kitchen and Maria Kindt, which occured on the 21st inst., was one of those happy social events to them. On that day, by invitation, over fifty guests assembled at their residence to participate in the celebration of what is commonly known as the "silver wedding." Those present were Nicholas Kindt and wife, (father and mother of Mrs. Kitchen, aged 78 and 80 respectively), Rev. Nathaniel Speer (who was the officiating clergyman for them twenty-five years ago) and wife, C. B. Kitchen (their son) and wife and daughter, C. R. Cox, B. F. McMichael, George Beck, I. B. Ikler, L. P. Yeager, Cyrus Demott, Moore Demott, Isaac Kline, Wilbur Kline, Wm. Demott, J. Burger, F. I. Shultz, R. C. Kester, and their wives; Mrs. Jennie Robbins, H. Thomas and daughter, Misses Vernie Crosslev, Sadie Kitchen, Annie Miller, Mr. John McMichael, Henry Rote, Sr., John Kitchen, and ye editor and wife. At 2 o'clock p. m. the guests were summond to the dining-room where a feast was spread which would have done credit to Vanderbilt's ten thousand-dollar cook. Rev. Spear invoked the blessings of the Divine Ruler, after which all partook freely of the good things set before them. It was a pleasant affair throughout. Many useful and beautiful articles of silverware were given as tokens of the esteem in which the couple are held. *Tablet.*

UNDER EVA'S THUMB AGAIN.

BELIEF THAT HAMILTON WILL NOT TRY TO OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

"Eva has Ray under her thumb again," was the sentiment expressed by the people of Atlantic City, when it became known that Hamilton had visited his wife in jail at May's Landlast Friday. Harsh, indeed, were the comments passed upon the young New Yorker's weakness and the general impression prevails that he will now use every endeavor to secure a new trial for his wife and that whether successful or not he will ultimately live with her again as her husband.

A gentleman prominently identified with the case says:

"I am of the opinion that Hamilton thinks more of his wife since trouble has overtaken her than ever he did before, and though he told me that he had promised his brother and father not to have anything more to do with her, I think that as soon as her term of imprisonment expires they will once more be living together as man and wife. Owing to the conduct of Mrs. Rupp, Mrs. Hamilton is absolutely without a change of underlinen. The delay in taking her to the State's prison in Trenton has been occasioned by a desire on the part of the big-hearted Sheriff to give her an opportunity to get her mortgages, jewels and valuables deposited and arrange her affairs, which are now in a state of confusion. She seems to bear her imprisonment with stolidity. Hamilton told me that he had no idea of pushing his suit for an annulment of the marriage and that his heart fairly bled for his poor, unfortunate wife. Mrs. Hamilton is unquestionably in a delicate condition, and has openly stated that she will never take any more morphine or opium and that in the future she will lead an entirely different life."

Hamilton, it is said, has made a statement to the effect that he paid Mr. Perry $1,000 to defend his wife; that he also paid Mrs. Rupp in full for all demands for the board of Baby Beatrice, Mrs. Hamilton and himself, and in addition he had given Mrs. Rupp a check for $250.

A New Weather Prophet.

THE FORECAST FOR OCTOBER BY REV. IRL R. HICKS OF ST. LOUIS.

A new weather prophet has risen in the West. The Rev. Irl R. Hicks of St. Louis, foretold the unprecedented rainfall which caused the Johnstown disaster, and in his weather forecast for September he anticipated a storm of "extreme fury" on the coast between the 10th and 15th. Here are the predictions of the new American weather prophet for October.:

The secondary storm movements mentioned at the close of our September forecasts will run their course by the 1st or 2nd of October—will be attended by rain in Southerly regions, turning most likely to sleet and snow in the North, followed by cold.

The first storm period proper for October is central on the 5th, with the planet Mercury central at a distributing point on the 4th. This combination, especially during this Jovian time of general meteorogical violence, will in every probability produce storms which will call for watchfulness and care. Northwesterly storms are apt to be severe, covering the lake regions, and endangering navigation from about the 3rd to the 8th. Many of the country will most likely be visited by heavy sleet during the storms of this period. About the first genuine polar wave is likely to appear at or about this time, and to encounter retiring equatorial storms towards the Atlantic Coasts. Some cold days will follow, until the temperature reacts for minor storms about the 11th and 12th.

The appalling fulfilment of our calculations for the period in which we write this forecast, September 10 to 15, together with the record going before it, confirm us in the belief that to a greater or less extent October disturbances will partake of the character of those preceding months, calling for promptness and care in gathering and storing the products of the season. and causing inland navigation to be prematurely precarious. We deprecate any radical departure from usual methods, but insist upon vigilance and a ready, common-sense holding of the reins. We calculate the period running from about the 16th to the 20th is one in which such care should be exercised. The 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th are days in which general Autumnal disturbances ought to pass Eastward across the continent. The high barometer following these disturbances will give place to reactionary storms of energy about the 23d and 24th. A prompt and sharp reaction into frosty, cold days will follow.

From about the 27th to November is a regular and marked storm period. Be ready for such vicissitudes as follow such storms at such seasons, and for the cold following the storms into November. Have a care for your fuel and hour helpless dependent stock.

Court Proceedings.

On motion of J. H. Maize William Leverett was admitted to practice law.

Commonwealth vs. Hiram Long, larceny and receiving, true bill.

Commonwealth vs. James Long, fornication and bastardy, true bill.

Commonwealth vs. D. W. Martz, embracery, not a true bill, H. F. Rittenhouse pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. J. E. Snyder, malicious mischief, not a true bill, Charles Gearhart pay the costs in two cases.

Commonwealth vs. C. D. Fowler, assault and battery, true bill.

Commonwealth vs. B. & S. R. R. Co., neglecting and refusing to reconstruct a road, true bill.

Commonwealth vs. P. Clemens, nol pros allowed on payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Hiram Long, case tried, verdict, guilty of receiving stolen goods.

On Wednesday Sheriff Casey acknowledged the following deeds: Property of Dennison Brink to Sabina Brink; property of Lucy Ann and T. J. Shuman to Executors of Henry Hosler; property of Anna Buss to Samuel E. Weaver.

Commonwealth vs. W. Yeager, selling liquor to minors, true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Ridgway Randall, assault and battery, not a true bill, C. D. Fowler to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. C. D. Fowler, case tried, verdict not guilty, prosecutor R. Randall and C. D. Fowler each pay half the costs.

Commonwealth vs. Ella Laforme, not a true bill, prosecutor Josiah F. Bower to pay the costs.

All jurors were discharged on Thursday afternoon.

Commonwealth vs. Lafayette Fetterman et al, continued to next term on defendants agreeing to refrain from cutting timber from the tract described in the indictments.

Report of Grand jury accepted and filed.

Commonwealth vs. James Long, continued to next term on motion of district attorney.

Commonwealth vs. W. Yeager, continued to next session.

Adjourned Thursday afternoon until Monday, Sept. 30th.

Court convened on Monday, morning at 9 o'clock.

Docket called and judgments taken.

Report of viewers of a bridge over Fishingcreek at Red Rock, confirmed nisi.

M. A. Mansfield vs. F. L. Crane, case tried, verdict for plaintiff.

Alvin Moser vs. Flora Moser, libel in divorce, subpoena awarded.

John Clewes discharged under insolvent laws.

Auditor's report in estate of Stephen Thomas confirmed nisi.

Sale ordered in estate of Sarah Johnson.

John Sheaffer appointed guardian of Mary L. Neidig, minor child of John Boyer deceased, also of John Boyer minor child of same.

S. V. Boone vs. R. & B. R. R. Co., report of viewers confirmed nisi.

Sale ordered in estate of Susan Hosler deceased.

Commonwealth vs. Mrs. Catharine Farrel, defendant sentenced to pay a fine of $5.00, and costs of prosecution, and give bail in $1.00 to keep the peace for one year.

Commonwealth vs. W. Krick, defendant sentenced to pay a fine of $10, and costs of prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. H. Long, defendant sentenced to pay fine of $5, costs of prosecution, and undergo imprisonment for 30 days and restore the goods stolen.

Commonwealth vs. Mrs. M. Fenstermacher, defendant sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs of prosecution.

Columbia Co. vs. Bloomsburg Water Co., Rule on commissioners to file an answer to petition.

Estate of Daniel Force, Rule to show cause why the account of executor filed in Register's office shall not be set aside and confirmation withheld.

Phillip Krum vs. Charles Biddig, interpleader filed.

Road in Jackson near J. B. Richie's, order to viewers continued to next term.

J. H. Maize continued as auditor in estate of Mary C. Peterman.

J. W. Eves' use vs. E. R. Furman and J. E. Barkley, on petition it is ordered that proceedings on fi fa be stayed, and rule granted to show cause why the execution shall not be set aside at costs of plaintiff.

Order of sale continued in estate of John Santee.

J. H. Vastine's use vs. T. Gerrity, on motion of J. H. Maize attorney for plaintiff, writ of habere facias possessionea granted.

Edwin F. Shaw, vs. Pauline Shaw divorce proceedings. W. Chrisman appointed commissioner to take testimony.

Estate of Harriet L Moser, exceptions to guardian's account, C. C. Evans appointed auditor on exceptions.

Order to viewers of a road in Sugarloaf near L. Kile's continued to next term.

Estate of Daniel Brewer, order of sale continued.

Commonwealth vs. James Long, rule granted to show cause why the proceedings of the grand jury should not be set aside.

Estate of Mary M. Creasy. Rule on heirs to accept or refuse real estate at the valuation, or show cause why it should not be sold.

Estate of Henry Croop. Rule on heirs to accept or refuse real estate at valuation, or show cause why it should not be sold.

Estate of Geo. Kelchner. C. G. Barkley appointed auditor to distribute fund.

M. A. Mansfield vs. F. L. Crane, rule to show cause why the plaintiff shall not pay the costs of the interpleader and trial.

In the matter of support of Sarah Heller, rule on C. J. Heller to show cause why he shall not pay the costs of the proceedings.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of Rebecca Hess late of Sugarloaf township.

Letters testamentry on said estate having been granted to the undersigned executor. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to

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ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Anna Coffman, late of Bloomsburg, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Anna Coffman, late of the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to W. E. Coffman and D. R. Coffman of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

W. E. COFFMAN, D. R. COFFMAN, Administrators.

8-30-6w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Anna Maria Creveling, late of Scott twp.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Anna Maria Creveling, late of Scott twp., county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Geo. B. Reimensnyder, of Sunbury, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

GEO. B. REIMENSNYDER, Administrator, Sunbury, Pa.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah H. Hess late of Benton township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned executor. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to

A. L. Fritz, Attorney. D. J. LEWIS, Coles Creek. Executor.

9-20-6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Wenner, late of Fishingcreek twp., Col. Co., Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned executors. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to

JOHN C. WENNER, LEVI WENNER, Executors, Post-Office, Cambria, Pa.

C. B. BARKLEY, Atty. 9-13-6w.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Water Company will be held at their office in Bloomsburg on Tuesday, 8th day of October 1889, between the hours of two and four o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of the general business of the company.

F. P. BILLMYER, Secretary.

Sept. 13-4w.

RAILROAD NOTICE.

The stockholders of the Bloomsburg and Sullivan Railroad Company are hereby notified and requested to meet at the office of the Company, in the town of Bloomsburg, on Wednesday the 20th day of November, 1889, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock and indebtedness of said Company. By order of the Board of Directors,

H. J. CONNER, Secretary.

Bloomsburg, Sept. 16, 1889.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

Estate of Daniel Brewer, late of Pine Township, Columbia County, deceased.

The undersigned Trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, to make sale of the real estate of Daniel Brewer, late of said County, deceased, will expose at public sale on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1889, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land situate in Pine township, Columbia County, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone and post corner of Elias Mendenhall's thence along the same south 72 degrees and 37 minutes East, 311.5 perches to a post, thence north 19¼ degrees East 11.3 perches; thence along land of D. L. Everhard, north 11 degrees west, 49.3 perches to a post and stone; thence north 22¼ degrees west, 252.2 perches to a post and stone; thence along land of Mark Andrews, north 12 degrees and 14 minutes west 95 perches to a dead white pine, thence by lands of Aaron Keller, South 19¼ degrees west 206.5 perches to the place of beginning, containing

240 ACRES

and 76 perches of land be the same more or less, about 60 acres cleared land, and the balance is well timbered with good hemlock and pine, on which is erected a two story

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a Log Barn, and other outbuildings, also a good spring of water at the house, also a stream of water running through the place.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; one fourth at the confirmation of the sale; the remaining half in one year thereafter, with interest.

WM. KASE WEST, Trustee.

Sept. 24, 1889.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Fi Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Col. Co., Pa., and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1889.

at 10 o'clock a. m., All that certain lot or piece of land situate in the town of Rohrsburg, Township of Greenwood, Col. Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a post on Main Street, thence along said street south eighty and one half degrees east six perches to a post, thence by land of heirs of Frederick Rohn south eighty-one and one half degrees west seven perches to a post, thence by same north eight and one half degrees east seven perches to the place of beginning, containing

Forty-Two Perches

of land, strict measure, be the same more or less, whereon are erected a

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and Outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of William Bogart to use of Eros Hartman vs. Samuel Bogart and to be sold as the property of Samuel Bogart.

HERRING, Atty. JOHN B. CASEY, Sheriff.

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at ten o'clock a. m., the following: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Ridge alley, on the east by lot of L. T. Sharpless, on the south by Second street, and on the west by Centre street, containing twenty-four and a half feet more or less front on Second street, and two hundred and fourteen feet more or less on Centre street, whereon are erected a

Frame Hotel, Barn, Bake House

and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Hartman & Edgar vs. J. F. Caldwell and to be sold as the property of John F. Caldwell.

HERRING, Atty. JOHN B. CASEY, Sheriff.



A VOICE from Ohio. Here is a portrait of Mr. Garrison, of Salem, Ohio. He writes: "Was at work on a farm for $20 a month; I now have an agency for E. C. Allen & Co's albums and publications and often make $20 a day." (Signed) W. H. GARRISON.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1889.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the P. & R. R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:32 a. m.	11:02 a. m.
3:31 p. m.	6:33 p. m.

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Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:12 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
10:57 a. m.	12:06 p. m.
2:35 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

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Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:48 a. m.	12:37 p. m.
6.36 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:48 a m	6:39 p m

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN RAILROAD

Taking effect MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1889.

SOUTH. NORTH.

STATIONS.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 28	11 48	7 05	8 35	2 35	6 40
Main Street	6 18	11 41	6 58	8 42	2 42	6 47
Irondale	6 16	11 39	6 56	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 31	6 48	8 53	2 53	7 00
Lightstreet	6 05	11 28	6 43	8 56	2 56	7 03
Orangeville	5 57	11 20	6 35	9 05	3 07	7 10
Forks	5 45	11 10	6 25	9 15	3 17	7 20
Zaner's	5 42	11 06	6 21	9 20	3 20	7 23
Stillwater	5 37	11 02	6 17	9 25	3 25	7 28
Benton	5 28	10 55	6 10	9 33	3 33	7 35
Edsons	5 23	10 50	6 07	9 36	3 37	7 38
Coles Creek	5 20	10 45	6 05	9 38	3 40	7 40
Sugarloaf	5 15	10 42	6 02	9 42	3 43	7 44
Laubachs	5 12	10 40	6 00	9 47	3 48	7 47
Central	5 03	10 33	5 53	9 57	3 58	7 57
Jamison City	5 00	10 30	5 50	10 00	4 00	8 00
	Lv. P. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar P. M.

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Hon. S. S. Cox died on Tuesday in New York.

SALES.

OCTOBER 8. M. M. Hartzell will sell, on the premises in Mifflin township, at 10 o'clock a. m., horses, cows, sheep, farm implements, &c.

OCTOBER 17.—W. K. West, trustee, will sell real estate of Daniel Brewer, deceased, in Pine township, at 1 o'clock p. m. See advertisement.

The administrators of Anna Coffman dec'd., W. E. and D. R. Coffman offer at private sale, a house and lot on West Main street Bloomsburg, Pa. the late residence of deceased. tf.

FOR SALE.—Three heavy horses and two heavy mules, good condition and good workers, at private sale. Inquire of William Ferguson Bloomsburg Pa. 9-20 2t*

A first class $8 washing machine for $3.00. New and in perfect condition. Bought at Sheriff's sale, and to be sold out at less than cost. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell, Bloomsburg. tf.

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WANTED.—The undersigned wants three or four hundred tons of rock oak and hemlock bark, at their tannery at Lewistown.
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Candidates for the offices to be filled next year are already in the field. For State Senator the names of W. Chrisman, A. L Fritz and C. B. Jackson are mentioned. For county treasurer, J. H. Hetler and Ex-Sheriff Mourey are suggested. G. M. Quick and S. P. Hanley are on the list for Prothonotary.

Dr. Brown went to Blairstown, N. J. on Monday. He treated a blind lady there resulting in the restoration of her sight. Blairstown is about seventy miles west of N. Y. City, it is the home of the railroad magnate John I. Blair, who is reputed worth sixty millions of dollars.

Next week beginning on Monday night the Opera House will be open every night. The Leonzo Bros. N. Y. Dramatic Co. will present a new play each night. Their repertoire includes "Brother against Brother," "The Dog Spy," "Back from the Dead," "The Planter's Child," "May's Devotion," "Delmonte," and other plays. The company is an excellent one and the performances are strictly moral, and the managers assure the public that the plays are such as can be attended by ladies without hesitation. Prices, 25, 35, and 50 cents. Reserved seats at Dentler's.

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(Mention this paper.)

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Personal.

William H. Clark has returned to Florida for the winter.

Miss Martha Wells is in better health than she has been for a long time.

Rohr McHenry, one of Benton's most enterprising and respected citizens, was in town last Saturday.

Mr. Chas. W. McKelvy who has been sick with a cold, is back at his post in I. W. McKelvy's store.

W. L. McHenry, of Stillwater, has recovered from his recent illness, and is able to attend to business again.

John C. Wenner of Benton township, one of our most valued correspondents was in town on business last Saturday.

Samuel Neyhard is again in his office, but is compelled to walk with a cane, and is quite lame from an injury to his knee which laid him up for several weeks.

Rev. W. C. Leverett went to New York on Tuesday to attend the General Convention of the Episcopal Church. He will be at home on Sunday.

P. S. Harman and wife, G. W. Bertsch and wife, G. W. Rhodes, wife and daughter, J. M. Sauder and sister, and J. M. Staver will go to Washington next Monday to attend the Triennial Conclave of Knights Templar.

Samuel H. Harman, W. S. Rishton and Dr. J. C. Reifsnyder went to Philadelphia on Monday, to attend the wedding of Harry B. Hess, which occurs on Thursday at Haverford College.

Mrs. M. A. Smith, who for the past two and a half years has been organist at the Episcopal church, has resigned her position. She is now in New York and from there she will go to Fondulac, Wisconsin, where she will spend the coming year with her uncle, Dr. Wiley, who is a skillful physician. Mrs. Smith was compelled to give up her music class nearly a year ago, on account of ill health. Under the advice of her physicians she seeks a change of climate, and her many friends here earnestly hope that she may thereby be regained.

Dr. Edward F. Smith who has been in New York for the past two months, was an applicant for appointment to a position in the Charity Hospital, one of the largest in the world. Out of twenty-five competitors in the examination he stood seventh. He received an appointment as Junior Assistant, in the Surgical department but declined it. At the Charity Hospital the physicians get no compensation until the last six months of service, though it is considered a high honor to receive an appointment there, and the experience is invaluable to physicians. Subsequently he competed for an appointment to Randall's Island Hospital, and out of ten competitors he came out *first*, and has been assigned to duty. He will serve six months as Junior, six months as Senior, and six months as House Physician, during which time all expenses are paid. The Hospital is on a beautiful island, has lawns, trees, gardens, flower beds, base-ball and tennis grounds, boats, &c. It is one of the largest hospitals in the United States. Dr. Smith graduated at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, and was said to be the youngest man who ever received a diploma from that institution. He deserves great credit for his nerve in attempting to compete for positions which are said to be awarded only to those who have wealth and influence to back them. He is a close student and his success in this matter insures his success in the future. He has many friends here who will rejoice with him, and who will wish him continued prosperity. Dr. Smith is a great-nephew of Judge Elwell.

Oysters are unusually fine this season.

E. P. Williams has moved into the residence of R. C. Neal on Fifth street.

Benton is growing, and a number of new buildings are going up.

Mrs. Jane McBride is seriously afflicted with rheumatism, and not paralysis.

Rev. Hinkel D D. will preach in the Lutheran church again next Sunday.

The best Jersey vest for 25c ever offered in town at H. W. SLOAN'S.

Jake Kilrain is expected to give an exhibition in Music Hall October 10 and 11.

E R. Drinker's new house on Rock street is going up rapidly.

James Reilly has opened a new barber shop in B. Stohner's store room.

The evening services of the churches are now held at 7 o.clock instead of 7:30 as heretofore.

Look in our next week's paper for date of sale of household and personal property at the Sanitarium.

L. Gross' store will be closed on Saturday, on account of a holiday, until six o'clock p. m.

Mrs. I. E. Patterson met with a painful injury by a fall on the pavement resulting in a severe sprain of her ankle.

If you want a good five cent smoke try the Shawnee cigar at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The Bloomsburg Car Co. is as busy as can be, having received contracts for a large number of cars.

F. P. Bilmeyer's residence is completed, and it is one of the handsomest, inside and outside, in the city.

G. W. Sterner's new residence on Market street is approaching completion. When done it will present an attractive appearance.

Try Dr. Shattuck's Helianthus for that troublesome cough and you will be pleased with its prompt pleasant effects, only 50 cts at druggist's.

The Benton Fair is in full blast this week. Should the weather prove favorable there will be a big crowd in attendance

If you want any printing done for the fair next week, don't wait until the last minute, but bring in your order now. We can do work cheaper than the cheapest.

J. A. Losee, formerly of Glen City, but now of Titusville, was in town this week as a witness in court in the case of Grier vs. McAlarney et al.

Good all pure wool skirts for $1.00. Skirts up to $2.50. Also fine lines of woolen hosiery for ladies and children at H. W. SLOAN'S.

The demand for the product of the Hemlock mill continues to increase. Roller process flour is rapidly growing in popularity.

Mrs. Fannie Marsh has secured the services of a New York milliner, and has opened a large line of fashionable fall millinery. Ladies are invited to call and inspect the stock.

With the introduction of the new industries that have already come, the end is not yet. Electric light, and electric rail-road and several more things are looked for now with almost absolute certainty.

C. M. Vanderslice on Saturday last removed his shoe store from the rear of G. W. Sterner's lot, corner of Main and Market streets, to his lot on Main and Railroad streets.

A fine line of underwear, merino, scarlet and natural wool just received at D. Lowenberg's.

Paul E. Wirt has placed in his office a new fire and burglar proof safe weighing 4750 pounds. Peacock Bros. purchased his smaller safe, which although comparatively new, was not large enough for his purposes.

Window frames, door frames, fence pickets, cellar window frames, window sash, can be bought very cheap at this office. A large lot bought at sheriff's sale will be sold at half price. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell. tf

So far this fall there has been so much rain that many of the fairs have proved failures. If next week should be pleasant the Bloomsburg fair will be one of the largest in the history of the Association. Many new features have been introduced, and the attractions offered will draw a big crowd.

On Friday and Saturday of next week during the fair the COLUMBIAN office will be closed in order to give our employees an opportunity to attend. Our business office will be open from 7 to 10 a. m. 4 to 6 p. m. each day for those who desire to call and pay their subscription.

Jameson City is growing rapidly. A number of new buildings are in course of construction, and the large tannery is nearly completed. The saw mill is at present idle as the logs cannot be got out fast enough to keep it going. When snow comes the logs can be brought in rapidly

J. G. Wells will occupy the entire front room of Elwell's building. Show windows are being put in, and his new stock of goods will be put in as soon as the room is ready for them, probably this week. His location is one of the best in town, and his store when complete will be one of the handsomest in this section.

On Tuesday last J. Saltzer received a telegram from Cleveland, Ohio, announcing that the White Sewing Machine has been awarded the highest gold medal at the Paris exposition for best family sewing machine. He will exhibit these machines at the Benton and Bloomsburg fairs, and a skilled operator will show what fine work can be done with the White.

Mr. Saltzer will also have a large display of pianos and organs.

On Oct. 4th and 5th, the Bloomsburg & Sullivan R. R. will run in addition to those announced, an extra train leaving Jamison City at 4.05 p. m. arriving at Benton at 4 25 p. m. and leave Benton at 4.30 p. m. arriving at Jamison City at 4.58 p. m.

This will enable persons living above Benton to get home before dark.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alexander have met with a sad bereavement in the death of their little son Willie. Mrs. Alexander was visiting at Pittston, and there he was attacked with croup and died on Sunday afternoon. The funeral took place at Pittston on Tuesday afternoon. Willie was an interesting child of five years, and the parents have the sympathy of many friends in their affliction.

Mr. Wm. Chrisman attended the Convention of chairmen of the democratic party at Northampton on Tuesday. Mr. Larue Munson Esq. of Williamsport was elected district chairman. This district is composed of ten counties, and the State of nine districts. Each district chairman is to assist in organizing in each county in his district and report the progress to the State chairman.

A beatiful line of Fall Over-coats. Fall styles in hats and caps. Latest designs in neck-wear at D. Lowenberg's.

H. J. Clark & Son have opened their new coat room, and have it stocked with hundreds of coats of all shapes, sizes, prices and material. The room is in the annex, on the first floor, and is carpeted with Brussels, and finished in natural wood. The light is good, and long mirrors show the fit of the coats full length. This firm has always displayed excellent taste in the arrangement of their store and selection of their stock, and in their new coat room they are fully up to their well known standard.

The entrance to the COLUMBIAN is where it has been for the past eight years, on Main street, first floor, next door to Post Office. Though our business office is now back a little, we have more room than ever before All our friends and patrons are invited to call and see the largest and most complete printing office in this section of the state. Our work embraces all kinds of printing that require stereotyping, perforating, numbering or binding.

The following letters are held at Bloomsburg, Pa., post-office, and will be sent to the dead letter office, Oct. 15th, 1889:

Miss Flora Bogart, Miss J. M. Bigelow, J. C. Money, A. Nelson, Mr. G. N. Oyster, Mrs. Martha S. Pursell, B. Savage, Miss Jennie Taylor, Andrew Wood.

CARDS.

Miss Minnie Hoffner, (2)

Persons calling for these letters please say, they were advertised Oct. 1st, 1889.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART, P. M.

Pretty hats and caps for little boys. Kilt suits, Jersey suits, overcoats at D. Lowenberg's.

Col. John G. Freeze has presented to The Bloomsburg Library Company, a set, nearly complete, of the Reports of the Geological Survey of Pennsylvania.

Hon. A. L. Fritz has promised to add to them such volumes as he can procure, of the latter issues, and

D. A. Beckley, Esq., has also expressed his willingness to furnish such volumes as he can secure, for the completion of the work.

It is of great value, and the Library Company is fortunate in being able to place upon its shelves this very important publication.

The trial of the Commonwealth vs. C. D. Fowler resulted in a verdict of not guilty, prosecutor and defendant to pay half the costs each. The evidence was that the defendant on the night of August 24, got on the cars at Bloomsburg, that he was drinking out of a bottle on the cars, and used loud and profane language in the presence of ladies, and at Berwick he assaulted one of the brakemen.

The evidence for the defense was that the brakeman took hold of Fowler first. Fowler caused to be presented a bill of indictment against the brakeman, which was ignored by the grand jury, and the costs put upon Fowler. The result of the verdict is that Fowler will have nearly $100 of costs to pay.

OPENING OF MANOR REST INN.

The elegant new hotel at Jameson City, known as Manor Rest Inn, was thrown open to the public last week. While the hotel is run in the name of Stiltz & Co., it is managed by an experienced caterer employed by them. On Saturday afternoon last a party of about sixty gentlemen went up on a special train and took dinner there. The party consisted of Judge Ikeler, Col. Freeze, Col. Jameson, F. P. Billmeyer, G. E. Elwell, N. U. Funk, Dr. Willits, C. C. Peacock, J. F. Peacock, J. R. Schuyler, C. H. Campbell, W. Kramer, J. C. Brown, W. Krickbaum, D. Hughes, D. A. Creasy, K. C. Ent, J. R. Townsend, Dr. Evans, Grant Herring, W. Chrisman, J. Fetterman, Ezra Stephens, J. K. Grotz, R. E. Hartman, F. C. Eyer, C. C. Trench, W. H. Snyder, C. Krug, W. F. Bodine, G. S. Robbins, Peter Gross, L. Bernhard, J. M. Clark, A. L. Fritz, R. W. Oswald, L. E. Waller, H. J. Conner, W. M. Monroe, W. E. Johnston, W. S. Moyer, J. L. Girton, D. F. Weiss, C. S. Furman, H. V. White, J. F. Housel; from Catawissa, W. H. Rhawn, J. A. Ranson, E. B. Guie, G. W. Reifsnyder, M. G. Hughes, J. B. Yetter; from Danville, D. M. Boyd, B. R. Gearhart, R. M. Grove; from Stillwater, J. F. McHenry, J. S. Woods; and others. Superintendent Leader had charge of the train, and the fares were collected by a handsome conductor from Rupert, W. M. Monroe.

The train left Bloomsburg at 2 o'clock, and reached Jameson City in a little over an hour, making but few stops. The party went up to the Hotel and inspected the premises. A long flight of steps leads up to the charming verandas that surround the building on three sides. From these verandas a charming view is obtained down the valleys, and to the mountains that rise up on every side, hundreds of feet. On the first floor of the hotel is the office, bar-room, wash room, smoking room, closets and bath room, and two bed rooms. On the second floor are the parlors and dining room. These are all separated by large folding doors, which when thrown open forms one large apartment of ninety by forty feet. The parlors have Brussels carpets and handsome furniture. The third and fourth floors contain the bedrooms, of which there are forty, all furnished in handsome oak suits, Brussels carpets, and the beds being supplied with the best of springs, hair mattresses, and fine linen. Everything about the dining room is neat and attractive, and the kitchen contains a large range capable of cooking for all who may come.

At 5:30 dinner was announced, and the party sat down to a royal feast. Though this was the first meal of the kind ever served in the house, and the help had had no experience in waiting on so many, everything went off nicely. One thing in particular was specially remarked upon, namely, that the dinner was well cooked, and everything was hot when served.

The train left for Bloomsburg soon after 7 o'clock, and at 8:30 the party reached here, delighted with the ride, and more than delighted with Manor Rest Inn.

At Phillips' Domestic Bakery during the fair oysters will be served in every style in their elegant parlors Ice cream served in a warm room if the weather is cold.

A FINE HERD OF CATTLE.

Arrangements have been made to exhibit at the Bloomsburg fair next week a herd of Hereford cattle belonging to Geo. O. Holcomb of Troy, Pa. The Elmira *Telegram* in speaking of the Interstate Fair refers to this famous herd as follows:

Geo. O. Holcomb, of Troy, Pa., one of the vice presidents of the association, is the owner of a remarkably fine herd of Hereford cattle. Among his herd is a cow that will weigh 1,900 pounds, that in five years has only failed once to produce twin calves. By the side of this cow will be shown her twin heifers, eighteen months old, each of which will weigh 1,700 pounds, and beside each of the heifers is a calf four months old, as large in proportion as their mothers. A pair of two year old bulls in this herd, twins, will weigh one ton each. Mr. Holcomb also has four cows from which he is breeding simply to produce stock of immense size. They are from the same herd as the mammoth steers that have become a familiar feature to many of the fairs of the country in the past few years

East Benton.

Benjamin Peterman, of Benton, was buried last Thursday a week, aged about 50 years.

Mrs. Dives, of Benton, died last Wednesday a week and was buried at Hamiline the following Friday. She was well up in years.

Mrs. Judge Krickbaum found still another fine tomato. It weighed over two lbs., but we do not remember the fraction.

People have commenced threshing buck-wheat. It is a short crop.

Andrew Wilson, of Cambra, Hon. James McHenry's farmer, sowed some Japanese buckwheat. The straw is short and thin on the ground, but it is loaded in bunches and beats all we ever saw. It is estimated at 40 bushels per acre.

Peter Kase, an aged citizen of Benton, is quite feeble and in declining health.

This season seems to old age like frosty nights to vegetation and leaves which are dropping after being nipped by their biting blasts.

Literary Notes.

The leading article in Book News for October (John Wanamaker, Philadelphia) is by Professor Boyesen, and is a very interesting account of the Sagas of the old Norse Kings. Other articles are "Henrik Ibsen," "A Fiction Maker of Tokio," "James Fenimore Cooper" (with portrait), "How Dr. Holmes Spent His Eightieth Birthday," etc. There are reviews of many of the newest books, among them being Marion Crawford's Sant' Ilario and Max O'Rell's book on his own countrymen, "Jacques Bonhomme," a new "Life of Benjamin Franklin," and one of Jane Austen. The descriptive price-list this month comprises over fifty new publications. The detached portrait is of the Scotch literateur and critic, Andrew Lang, and the number contains a short sketch of his life.

Cut Rates to the West.

Cheap tickets to all points in Kansas, Colorado, Indian Territory (Oklahoma) Texas, and other States and Territories in the West, will be sold by the Santa Fe Route from Chicago and other points along the line, on August 6 and 20; September 10 and 24 and October 8.

For particulars ask your Ticket Agent or write to John Byrne, Assistant Genera Passenger Agent, Santa Fe Route, Chicago. 8-30-tf.

An elegant double Damask towel, knotted fringe, yard and a quarter long, red border, for 50c at H. W. SLOAN'S.

TO CAPITALISTS. — WANTED — A special partner with $15,000 to $20,000 in a well established paying business. Growing place. Will pay ten per cent. on investment. Apply to
J. B. ROBISON, Atty.-at-Law.
9-20-3t* Bloomsburg, Pa.

Chrisman—Bidleman.

Mr. Charles B. Chrisman and Miss Bessie Bidleman were married in the Lutheran church Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock by Rev F. P. Manhart, in the presence of about two hundred invited guests. Messrs. Ed Dieffenbach, J. W. Moyer, Isaiah Deily and John Shultz, were the ushers. Promptly at four o'clock the bridal party entered with Amelia Neyhard, bridesmaid, and Mr. Joseph Birch best man, followed by the bridal party. While a wedding march was played by Prof. I. W. Niles, the four marched up the centre aisle, and the ushers the side aisles, joining the party at the altar. The impressive ceremony was read and the two were made man and wife, using the wedding ring as the symbol of eternity. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple were driven to their own home—already furnished—(the old Ramsy property) when a reception was given. We wish them much success in their journey through life.

KILLING OF F. J. SHRIEBER.

The Crime of a Drunken Nephew.

Up to Monday of this week, no particulars of the shooting of Frank J. Shrieber at Moorehead, Minn., have been received, beyond the report from Allentown, printed in the Sunday *Press*, and dated September 27, as follows:

"On Wednesday evening County Commissioner John L. Schreiber received a telegram from Moorehead, Minn., announcing that his son, Jacob F. Schreiber, shot and killed his uncle, Franklin J. Schreiber, a brother of the Commissioner. Beyond this nothing could be learned concerning the tragedy at that time.

The news of the tradgey came to Mr. Schreiber as a thunderbolt from a clear sky. With his colleagues of the local board of commissioners he had been assiduous in his attention to the delegates to the State Convention of county commissioners, who were in session in this city during Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, at which Mr. Schreiber was a prominent figure.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Schreiber left for the scene of the murder. As the murdered man was formerly one of the best known citizens of this county, much interest was manifested in the case, but not until to-day were the true facts known.

HOW THE MURDER OCCURRED.

Franklin J. Schreiber was one of the leading citizens of Upper Minnesota and was the owner of a 3500-acre wheat farm South of Moorehead. Jacob F. Schreiber came to town on Tuesday and went at once to his uncle's farm with the purpose, as he said, of making a settlement with the latter regarding some property transactions. He is quoted as saying also that if no settlement was arrived at he would shoot his uncle. When he arrived at the farm, young Schreiber was under the influence of liquor and acted very strangely. Noticing his condition and believing that the young man was not altogether sound in mind, the uncle notified the authorities and made a request that his nephew's sanity be inquired into. The outcome of the whole matter, however, was that young Schreiber fired two shots at his uncle, both of which were fatal, one severing the large artery of the heart. Mr. Schreiber lived only four minutes, and after the shooting never spoke a word.

For a time the excitement at Moorehead was intense and but for the fact that the murderer is generally regarded as insane, would undoubtedly have been lynched. He made no resistance to arrest, expresses no regret and views the whole matter with a stolid indifference.

WHO THE MURDERED MAN WAS.

Franklin J. Schreiber, the murdered man was a native of this country and for many years conducted a large mill near this city. About eight years ago he moved to Moorehead, where he was held in high esteem and was president of the Agricultural Society at that place. His wife was Miss Sarah Harman a native of Bloomsburg, Pa. They had no children. Surviving brothers are John L. Schreiber, of this county, and Peter Schreiber, of Oil City, Pa. Mrs. W. H. Mechling, of Germantown, is the only surviving sister.

Jacob Schreiber, the murderer, is about 25 years of age and always had a wild disposition. Several years ago he ran away from home and later enlisted in the regular army, from which, it is said, he deserted. How long he has been at Moorehead is not known. John L. Schreiber, the brother of the murdered man and father of the murderer, is a highly respected citizen of this county and extremely popular. Two years ago he was elected county commissioner. Much sympathy is expressed for him."

In addition to the foregoing the Moorehead *Weekly News* gives the following particulars:

At the time of the murder F. J. Shreiber was with his crew threshing oats a short distance from the house. The nephew had been standing around near the threshing machine all the afternoon. According to the testimony at the inquest he had asked his uncle where his father had got certain money, and Mr. Schreiber had explained it to Jacob; some of the men thought Jacob was acting strangely, and the victim had said to them that he was acting as if he was crazy. There had been no harsh words between them. Mr. Schreiber was shot twice, the first ball penetrating the right shoulder blade, and lodging just beneath the skin in the centre of the breast. As he turned towards the murderer the second shot was fired, penetrating above the right groin. Mr. Schreiber did not speak after being shot. He was carried into the house and laid on the table, where he died shortly after. The murderer ran swiftly across the prairie towards Moorehead, and was captured about two hours later. The *News* says: "Mr. Shreiber was a thoroughly practical farmer, and has taken many advanced steps in his farming operations to test the capability of the soil and climate here, and has been of material benefit to the agriculturists of this region. He was a genial pleasant and undemonstrative man, peaceful and quiet, of the strictest integrity and the highest honor. His loss is a heavy blow to this county, and to his sorrowing widow it is irreparable."

Mrs. Shreiber, formerly Miss Sallie Harman of this place, and sister of the late J. H. Harman, and Mrs. W. R. Tubbs, has the warmest sympathy of many friends here in her terrible affliction.

A Piece of Her Mind.

A lady correspondent has this to say:

"I want to give a piece of my mind to a certain class who object to advertising, when it costs them anything—this won't cost them a cent. I suffered a living death for nearly two years with headaches, back-ache, in pain standing or walking, was being literally dragged out of existence, my misery increased by drugging. At last, in despair, I committed the sin of trying an advertised medicine, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and it restored me to the blessedness of sound health. I honor the physician who, when he knows he can cure, has the moral courage to advertise the fact." The medicine mentioned is *guaranteed* to cure those delicate diseases peculiar to females. Read printed guarantee on bottle-wrapper.

For all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, take Dr. Pierce's Pellets. One a dose.

Manor Rest Inn is supplied with pure spring water caught in a reservoir back of the hotel, from springs on the mountain side.

Rings! Rings! Rings, all sizes and styles. The very newest designs at Bernhard's, opposite Central Hotel.

Distress after eating, heartburn, sick headache and indigestion are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It also creates a good appetite.

The cane contest for the benefit of Ent Post G. A. R. was ended on Monday night in favor of Thos. Gorrey. The contestants were Gorrey and Hensinger, and the cane was a heavy ebony stick with a gold head Gorrey raised $170.40, and Hensinger $70.75, making a total of $241.10 for the benefit of the Post.

Owing to the pressure of other business we have not yet had time to make out individual statements of indebtedness to this office. Altogether it will amount to thousands of dollars, and it is earnestly urged that those who know themselves indebted to us will make payment without further delay, and not put us to the expense of paying postage on duns. A word to the wise is sufficient.

American watches greatly reduced in price for Fair week at Bernhard's, opposite Central Hotel.

Bloomsburg is rapidly increasing in population, and the time will soon come when a daily newspaper will be in demand. The question is often asked now why a daily is not published, and the answer is that the town is not yet large enough to afford patronage sufficient to support a daily. Whenever the time comes that a daily is demanded, the COLUMBIAN will be the first in the field.

Personal.

A young lady of seventeen summers, highly educated, refined, and of prepossessing appearance, desires to form the acquaintance of some nice young man, whom she would advise, if troubled with dyspepsia, to use that great blood purifier, Sulphur Bitters. 9-27-2w.

A Missing Man Found Dead.

John Haines, who had been studying for the law at Shamokin Dam and whose friends had missed him for two days, was discovered Saturday morning near that place under a tree, dead. There was a bullet wound in his body, and his gold watch and money were missing.

A Family Gathering.

Have you a father? Have you a mother? Have you a son or daughter, sister or a brother who has not yet taken Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, the guaranteed remedy for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles? If so, when a sample bottle is gladly given to you *free* by any druggist, and the large size costs only 50c and $1.00.

Heir to Millions.

THE INMATE OF AN ALMSHOUSE BECOMES ENORMOUSLY RICH.

John Brennan, of Shamokin, has fallen heir to two million dollars, left him by his sister, Mrs. John Carson, who died in California a few weeks ago.

Brennan occasionally worked at the mines and spent all his earnings in rum. He was frequently in the almshouse, and it was there he was found by the lawyer who bore to him the news of his great luck. Brennan was brought to a barber's shop and subsequently to a clothier's, and, having somewhat improved his personal appearance, he started for California to claim his enormous legacy.

The largest and most complete line of ready-made clothing can always be found at,
D. Lowenberg's

Card of Thanks.

If the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam should publish a card of thanks, containing expressions of gratitude which come to him daily from those who have been cured of severe throat and lung troubles by the use of Kemp's Balsam, it would fill a fair-sized book. How much better to invite all to call on any druggist and get a free sample bottle that you may test for yourself its power. Large bottles 50c and $1.00.

We know nothing about the Shawnee coal from the Shawnee valley but the Shawnee cigar is a rattling good 5c cigar at Mercer's.

I Had Stone in the Bladder

And my kidneys were affected. None of the means taken produced any benefit until I began the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. The pain ceased—the stone having been dissolved by the action of the medicine. I am ready in public or private to testify that my recovery is due to Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.—E. D. W. Parsons, Rochester. 9-13-1m.

We are now ready, everything fresh and new.
Dress Suits,
Business Suits,
Boys. Suits,
at D. Lowenberg's popular Clothing house.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Sept. 30, 1889.

If there were an official inspection, a census of merchandise, the staetment about the Autumn Dress Goods now here would be that they surpass in elegance, completeness and number of styles, without doubt in quantity as well, the united total of all other Dress Goods stocks in this city. This statement is made advisedly.

There is a feeling of depression as one turns from even a superficiae study of this stock to writing of it. The simple truth told in the most prosaic style would make a story taat would challenge credulity. Shall we attempt to interest you by detailed description? Our best sense answers "no." Then "no" it is.

A study of Art in Dress Goods is always attractive. Don't laugh, but there is an art feeling in the stuffs. You would be dull, indeed, where you to look over these products of infinite skill and patience without feeling. The dollars they cost, the machines that made them, the boxes that packed them, the ships that carried them the mechanical processes that clean-

WANAMAKER'S.

sed the wool, and spun and dyed the threads, may very properly be mere items of money and commerce. Not so the thought that designed the beautiful things as you see them.

The art of the Orient and the Occident; the Parisian Palm and the Scotch tartan; nature in flower, fern and seaweed; figures and forms of the imagination are all in them.

This is not only the biggest but the best selected stock.

The Prices are very low—the least (quality considered) in the market.

So much for our Dress Goods stock in its entirety.

Now we point to a short dozen of the little priced ones: At 25 cents:

Striped Cheviots. Heavy serge weave. They say it's a stuff that "will never wear out," but it will—in time. Single and cluster stripes. Black, brown, navy green, garnet.

Shepherd Check. A regular 37½c stuff. Three sizes of checks.

At 37½ cents:

Crepe Diagonal. 38 inches wide. Elegant wool handsomely put together, and fairly worth 50c. Twelve choice shades

You'll find 38-inch All wool Tricots in most of the stores about town, but you won't find this quality or anything within three grades of it anywhere else at the price.

You'd think to pay half a dollar for it. 36 inches wide, all wool, and almost gay with ¼-inch stripes, eight changeable colors—a bluetish, a brownish, and so on.

Half-inch Mohair Stripes. 31 inches. Good weight, excellent weave, and seasonable colors.

At 50 cents:

Cassimer Serge. Twilled on both sides. As graceful and neat a stuff as we ever had at the price. Charming in color as in weave-twenty exquisite shades

Cheviots, solid and cluster stripes, black, brown, garnet, green, blue grounds, touched with white. 52 inches wide.

The "Tuxedo" Suiting. A "cheap at 75c," stuff. All wool, and when we say "all wool" we don't wink at even one thread of hidden cotton. The "Tuxedo" comes in solid and sombre stripes, and in definite plaids.

Ladies' Habit Cloth, 50 inches wide. Better quality than you look for at half a dollar.

And so the story goes through dozens of chapters and scores of prices.

Plump 6-pound Blankets. At least 80 per cent wool; the cotton warp so hidden that you don't suspect it. Big (74x86 inches), and soft as lambs'fleece *four dollars a pair.* Well worth $5.

19x25-inch Engravings, choice subjects, in 3-inch white and gilt frames, on 5-foot brass easels, $5.50. In the beaten way picture and frame would be $5, easel $6.

Half a dozen prices to give you a hint of what we are doing with Books:

Throne of David By Rev. J. H. Ingraham. 75c. Our usual price $1.10

Chautauqua Series of Reading for 1889-90, 6 vols. $4.50. Volumes sold separately.

Lora, the Major's Daughter. By W. Heimburg. Cloth 90c, paper 60c.

Cha...a and Chinita. By Louise Palmer Heaven $1.10.

Two Coronets. By Mary Agnes Tincker. $1.10.

Feet of Clay. By Amelia Barr. 90c.

Sant' Ilario. By Marion Crawford. $1.10.

Buterick's Patterns: All the new Fall and winter designs are now in.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

LOCAL NOTICES.

The best assortment and finest line of confectionery in Bloomsburg at Cummings & Verdy's. Go and see.

Rubbers! Rubbers! Rubbers, over one hundred cases rubbers, just arrived at Dentler's.

Just received at L. Gross' N. Y. store a full line of Winter overcoats and suits.

New currants 3 lbs. for 25c at
The G. E. TEA Co.

William Webb keeps in stock a fine line of cigars, tobacco, pipes, candies, &c at his store next door to W. H. Gilmore's. Call and try them. 10-4 tf.

Malaga grapes, oranges, bananas, lemons and pears at Cummings & Verdy's.

We have some more of those shirts, waists and pants for boys' at 25c at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Phillip's Domestic Bakery will occupy their old stand at the fair grounds next week, where a good lunch, oysters in every style, fruits, candy, &c. can be obtained.

Apples, chestnuts and shellbarks wanted at The Great Eastern.

Woolen shirts for 50c at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Fifteen cent stews at the Oyster Parlors of Cummings & Verdy.

Novelty goods, such as dolls and toys of all description for children, cheaper than ever before at New York Novelty Store, Bloomsburg, J. W. Masteller, Proprietor.

Rubbers of all kinds at low prices at J. A. Hess'. Call and examine them.

Dishware, lamps and glassware, in immense quantities at The Great Eastern.

Just received, tinware and glassware of all descriptions. Can not be beaten in the county on price at New York Novelty Store.

Cummings & Verdy's oyster parlors now open. Raw, stewed, panned and fried oysters. Come and try our fifteen cent stews.
Cummings & Verdy.

My stock of ladies', men's and children's shoes is now complete in fine and medium grades at prices to suit all.
F. D. Dentler.

Ladies and Gents, it is money saved to buy your clothing at Gross' N. Y. Store, he is the cheapest.

If you want the best shoes for the least money call at J. A. Hess', Bloomsburg.

For fresh roasted coffee, fine baking powder, fancy cakes and crackers, York State full cream cheese, The Great Eastern is the place.

Men's heavy pants for $1.00 at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Shell Oysters! Shell Oysters! No tub oysters—all shell, opened, at sixty cents a hundred. Where?
Cummings & Verdy's.

New fall clothing at Evans & Eyer's,

You are all cordially invited while attending the fair to call and inspect my immense stock of boots and shoes and rubbers.
F. D. Dentler.

Bananas, oranges and lemons at
The Great Eastern.

The best and cheapest clothing in Bloomsburg at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Shirts, Hats and a large line of gents' furnishing goods at Evans & Eyer's.

Families supplied with oysters, and goods delivered to all parts of town. Give your order to our bakery wagon.
Cummings & Verdy.

When you attend the Fair call at The Great Eastern and get a pound of their fine tea with handsome cup and saucer or a beautiful gold band vegetable dish at
The Great Eastern.

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We extend a cordial invitation to any and all who live or may come to this city to call in and see us. They certainly owe it to themselves to let no chance go by to buy their merchandize right. Come in and you will find us full of goods, come in and we will give you cause to rejoice in the way of low prices and good goods. For we are here to do business and whatever is not right we will make right. Come in and we will show you the largest and handsomest line of ladies' and childrens 'coats ever shown in this City. We offer genuine English Seal plush Jackets satin lined all through at $10.50, see it. Our lines of plush jackets, wraps and coats are immense. Cloth goods, plenty of them, Jersey Coats, English Walking Jackets, Misses' and childrens' coats, all styles and prices, all at prices not to be undersold by any. Our new room is now completed and filled with Ladies' and Childrens' new coats of all styles. We have just bought a case of single and double wool shawls which we will sell at prices lower than ever quoted on these goods. Our immense stock of *Dress goods* was never so complete as now, we show many new novelties. The best 25c goods sold. See our Black dress goods, we can save you money on them; full line of Dress Cloths, Underwear all kinds, Flannels and Blankets, Prints, Ginghams, Tickings &c at lowest prices. Come in and see us.

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Large coal buckets for 25cents, fire shovels 5 and 10 cents, worth 25 cents, at New York Novelty Store.

For a nice overcoat, or a new suit of clothes, ready made or made to order, call on Evans and Eyer, corner of Main & Iron streets.

Everybody notice! The New York Novelty Store, Bloomsburg, Pa., is prepared to meet everybody with hosiery, gloves, ladies' underwear, jewelry of all descriptions, cheaper than anywhere in Columbia County.

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This is our last talk before the *Big Fair.* Everybody talks Bloomsburg Fair, if you miss this year you will lose much. In addition to our 90 pieces of dress cloth, we have just opened a case of 20 pieces plaid cloths of the new shades, all wool, at 50c. a yard, worth seeing; if you miss coming to see our coats, our shawls, our dress goods, our trimmings, our gloves, our stockings, our shoes, our underwear, our cotton and wool flannels, our ribbons, our curtains, our blankets, our velvets, our plush, our shirtings, our tickings, our ginghams, our yarns and zephyrs, our plain and fancy dishes, our glassware, our lamps and thousands of other articles, you will regret it. We have 3 rooms full on the first floor and 4 on the second floor, with floor oilcloth and carpet chain in the cellar.

Butter comes in more freely now; we are always in want of fresh rolls; bring all your eggs and dried fruit with you. *Cash paid for potatoes.*

Our offer of 50c. lb. for the first premium roll of butter will stand good.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE GREAT LONDON STRIKE

The late strike of the dock laborers in London was for many reasons one of the most remarkable in the history of such movements. In the first place it was held by public opinion to be justifiable. It is estimated that the approval was almost universal. Then it was supported by ample subscriptions. The expense was estimated at $10,000 a day, and this sum was not only subscribed, but very much more, and on the last day of the strike $22,000 was received from Australia. Indeed, the active sympathy of Australia was one of the most interesting facts of the strike. No less remarkable was the entire good order that prevailed throughout the week, and perhaps most notable of all was the reasonableness of the strikers, and their complete organization. There were two prominent individuals in the movement—Burns, the socialist, who was the acknowledged leader and Cardinal Manning, whose intelligence, quiet persistance, and moral authority finally affected the settlement. Great meetings were held during the strike but without disturbance of any kind. If disagreeable traditions of excited London, such as "Irish night" or the Lord George Gordon riots, haunted any mind, they were lost in the actual spectacle.

The strike was substantially successful. It aimed at an increase of wages, and an increase was obtained. But the advantages were much greater than this. A plain statement of the facts revealed to the public a system by which not only the dock laborers were oppressed, but the public was fleeced. The commerce of London discovered that the striker's cause was its own. The strike began among the lowest class of workmen, but gradually spread through every class, and at last involved every branch of the commercial interest. Thus it showed the intimate relation between all of them, from the importer to the "casual laborer." Besides this, it had the general effect of demonstrating to the public mind in the most impressive manner that a strike may have the best reason. It dissipated the notion that a strike is necessarily a wanton and foolish outbreak of an attempted unreasonable compulsion. Once more the complete and effective organization of a powerful part of the physical force of the metropolis to secure certain results by protest and a temporary paralysis of labor is a peaceful but impressive revolution which will be remembered with advantage.

Another of the excellent consequences of this strike is the proof which it has afforded to the striking element in society that every movement of the kind is not prejudged as causeless, but is estimated upon its merits. This truth has been demonstrated also in some of the more notable strikes in New York, where public sympathy has not been withheld from the strikers so long as they respected the conditions upon which alone an equitable adjustment can be reached. When public order is disturbed the condition of the advance of every good cause is the restoration of order. If the strike in London had resorted to violence, it would have been impossible to ascertain the facts and rights of the case, and Cardinal Manning might have met the fate of Archbishop of Paris during the days of the Commune. The procession of the dock strikers to the residence of the Lord Mayor on the day after the settlement, to cheer the head of the city government, who had interested himself in the settlement, was also very significant. For all concerned, the great London strike must be regarded as a very significant event.—*Aarper's Weekly.*

Things a Woman Can Do.

LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS PECULIAR TO MEMBERS OF THE FAIR SEX.

She can come to a conclusion without the slightest trouble of reasoning on it, and no sane man can do that.

Six of them can talk at once and get along first rate, and no two men can do that.

She can safely stick fifty pins in her dress while he is getting one under his thumb nail.

She is cool as a cucumber in a half dozen tight dresses and skirts, while a man will sweat and fume and growl in one loose shirt.

She can talk as sweet as peaches and cream to the woman she hates, while two men would be punching each other's head before they had exchanged ten words.

She can throw a stone with a curve that would be a fortune to a base ball pitcher.

She can say "no" in such a low voice that it means "yes."

She can sharpen a lead pencil if you give her plenty of time and plenty of pencils.

She can dance all night in a pair of shoes two sizes too small for her and enjoy every minute of the time.

She can appreciate a kiss from her husband seventy-five years after the marriage ceremony is performed.

She can go to church and afterward tell you what every woman in the congregation had on, and in some rare instances can give you some faint idea of what the text was.

She can walk half the night with a colicky baby in her arms without once expressing the desire of murdering the infant.

She can do more in a minute than a man can do in an hour, and do it better.

She can drive a man crazy in twenty-four hours and then bring him to paradise in two seconds by simply tickling him under the chin, and there does not live that mortal son of Adam's misery who can do it.—*The Boston Times.*

A GREAT TRIP AT A LOW RATE VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

No uniformed body of men presents such a gorgeous spectacle as does the Knights Templar. It is only once in three years that they assemble in a body in one of the principal cities of America, and as they have selected Washington to be the theatre of their triennial conclave this year, the double opportunity to witness the brilliant gathering and to visit the beautiful Capital City on the Potomac will be offered from every station on the various lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad at one fare for the round trip. The conclave will continue from October 8th to 11th, 1889, and tickets will be sold October 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th, valid for return trip until October 31st, 1889. Returning a stop-off within the limit will be allowed at Baltimore, Wilmington, Philadelphia, Trenton, Harrisburg, Williamsport, Elmira, Emporium and Corry, as the route of the excursionists may suggest. The occasion will be one of the most enjoyable seasons of the year to visit Washington. Specific rates will be furnished by agents on application.

All America's Congress

ORIGIN AND PURPOSE OF THE CONFERENCE BETWEEN AMERICAN NATIONS.

There is now in session at Washington, a gathering which may take rank among the leading commercial events in the history of North and South America. This is the Congress of American nations, which is to meet at the national capitol for organization on October 2. After a tour through this country under intelligent guidance, which will show the principal industries and the geographical extent of the United States, will assemble again to discuss questions of mutual interest to all the governments and peoples in the New World that Columbus discovered almost 400 years ago.

The idea that all the nations in this New World should confer together for their common good first assumed definite form before the public of this country in 1881, when Mr. Blaine then secretary of state for President Garfield, promulgated his plan. The idea, however is older than that. It originated with Simon Bolivar, that great leader of men, whose statesmanship, patriotism and military genius emancipated five nations—Venezules, Colombia, Equador, Peru and Bolivia. This Washington of five Spanish-American Republics realized that to promote their common interest and to secure their individual success there must be concerted action. He called with this purpose in mind, an international conference at Panama in 1824, to which every independent American Republic was asked to send delegates. Nothing came of this call, not because the invited powers were unwilling to join in the conference, but because, internal causes interfered.

THE NATIONS TO BE REPRESENTED.

After Mr. Blaine revived this project of Bolivar's it hung fire for some time, mainly because of the assassination of President Garfield. The Fiftieth Congress passed a bill directing the President to invite representatives of the Spanish-American Governments to meet representatives of the United States on October 2, 1889, to consider certain propositions of mutual interest. The nations which have appointed delegates to this American International Congress are: Brazil, Lafayette Rodignes Perrira, Dr. J. G. de Amarei Valente, Salvador de Hendonca; Bolivia, Juan F. Velarde; Honduras, Jeronimo Zlaya: San Salvador, Jacinto Castellanos and Samuel Valdeness; Colombia, J. M. Hautadis; Costa Rica, Senor Zeladon; Gautemala, Fernando, Cruz; Mexico, St. Mateo Romero and Angel O. Costerio; Nicaragua, Dr. Horacio Guzman; Equador, Ex-President Jose M. Comasno; Peru, Dr. F. C. C. Zerorra; Venezuela, Bates Paraza; Argintine, Republic, Don Vincente, G. Quesada, Don Roque, S. Pena, Don Manuel Quintanae. Several other nations have accepted the invitation to join in the Congress, but the names of delegates are not yet announced. The delegates who will represent the United States are: John B. Henderson, of Missouri; Cornelius N. Bliss, of New York; Clement Studebaker, of Indiana; T. Jefferson Coolidge, Massachusetts; William Henry Trescott, of South Carolina; Andrew Carniegie, of Pennsylvania; Morris M Estee, of California; and John F. Hanson, of Georgia, and two others.

MEN OF HIGH STANDING.

The International Congress is called to consider important questions, but it has no power of final action. It can only consult and recommend. It will be composed of men who rank high in their respective countries, most of them, for example, standing in the political circles of their own land as James G. Blaine, Samuel J. Randall, Thomas B. Reed or Major McKinley figure in the public life of the United States. For this reason, it is hoped that the conclusions of the Congress will carry such weight as will result in closer affiliations between the governments of the Continent and an increase in their interchange of commerce.

But the members of the Congress, though they are to consider questions of prime importance to the whole continent, will not begin their deliberations at once. Some of them are already in the country. Others will arrive in a few days. It is expected that the delegates from South and Central America, together with the ten United States delegates and officials, will make up a party of about seventy five. These will meet in Washington on October 2, and organize. It is said that the president is likely to be one of the United States delegates. After the adjournment of the first day's session, the delegates will call in a body upon Secretary of State Blaine, and in the evening will probably be received by President Harrison.

A GRAND INDUSTRIAL TOUR.

On the morning of October 3 the entire Congress will leave Washington on a train of palace cars, which will be, next to the train in which President Harrison made his journey from Washington to the Inaugural Centennial in New York, the most luxuriously equipped ever run in this country. It will contain bath-rooms, a barber shop, dining-rooms, smoking-rooms, drawing-rooms, and sleeping compartments and will be run on fast time by special schedule. The train will go first to New York, where the Congress will take a steamer to Fall River, Mass. After viewing the factories there they will go to Providence, Willimantic and Hartford, all on the 4th. On the 5th they will visit Meriden, New Haven and Ansonia. The 6th will be spent at West Point. Thence the party will go to Springfield, Holyoke and Chicopee, Mass., and thence to Boston, where three days are to be spent. Manchester, N. H., and Portland, Me., will be visited, and then the journey will run through Troy, Albany, and the cities of central New York to Buffalo. After a view of Niagara the Congress will visit the principal cities of the West and South, and before returning to Washington will inspect the iron and steel and other industries of Pennsylvania. All the expenses of the Congress are to be paid by the State Department, our Congress having made an appropriation of $150,000 for that purpose.

A Ten Years Lease.

It is said in a Lebanon dispatch that Dr. T. A. Corryell, of Harrisburg, secretary of the Granger association, in company with other representatives of the same association, visited Robert H. Coleman and effected a twenty years' lease of grounds at Mount Gretna. The picnics of the association, which have heretofore been held at Williams' Grove, will hereafter be held at Mount Gretna. A stock company will be formed with a liberal capital, several buildings will be erected the largest of which will be 50 by 500 feet, and it has been decided to conduct the picnic on a much grander scale than ever before.

New Orleans Picayune: When cold weather comes charity begins to hum.

Burlington Free Press: Some housekeepers should be punished according to their deserts.

Boston Courier: The humorist is about the only man who likes to have his work laughed at.

Atchison Globe: The nearer the man on a journey draws to a large town the smaller he feels.

Yonkers Statesman: A new cigarette has been named The Boquet, we suppose because it smells so.

Boston Gazette: A great many girls are bound to show their feet at a picnic, even if they have to swing for it.

Somerville Journal: Hard work is the best cure for the blues; at least that is what you always tell other people.

Baltimore American: Doubtless one reason why the bustle is abandoned is because it has fallen away from grace.

St. Paul Pioneer: Why will not lecturers on woman's rights confine themselves to the subject? They are continually talking about woman's wrongs.

Washington Capital: If you will investigate Johnny's pockets now you will find a big red apple in one of them for his dear teacher and a bean shooter in the other.

Philadelphia Ledger: The Mayor of an Indiana town is going to Germany to look up a fortune he believes himself entitled to from the estate of a deceased uncle. 'Tis money makes the Mayor go.

The County Commissioners.

The county commissioners' convention at Allentown Pa., last week, agreed to urge the legislature to pass laws providing for the revision of the present road law; that corporations be taxed on an equality with real estate; that district attorneys be paid a salary based on the population, and that such portions of the act of 1887 providing for the regulation of the national guard as conflict with other laws be repealed. Giles D. Price, of Erie was elected a member of the committee on the revision of the tax laws of Pennsylvania. Williamsport was selected as the place for holding the next annual convention.

Little Pitchers.

Mrs. Prim—"Good morning, Tommy. Did your mother send you in?"

Tommy (aged 8)—"No'm. I thought I would like to make a call."

Mrs. Prim—"That is very nice, I am sure. But you mustn't be so bashful on your first call. Can't you raise your eyes from the carpet?"

Tommy—"Oh, I'm not so bashful; but mother says your carpet is so ugly it makes her sick to look at it, and I thought I would come in and try it myself."—*Rome Sentinel.*

Ex President Grover Cleveland will preside at a meeting of Tammany Democrats of the Tenth Assembly district in Cooper Institute, New York, on the evening of October 10, when memorial exercises will be held in honor of the late Congressman Cox.



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and the press teems with advertisements of sarsaparillas, and other liver, blood and lung remedies, but there is *one* medicine, and *only* one, the claims for which, as a cure for all lingering diseases arising from Torpid Liver or Biliousness, or from impure blood, **are backed up by a positive guarantee!** If it don't do just as represented in *every case*, the money paid for it is promptly refunded. This peculiar medicine sells beyond all others throughout the civilized world. And why should it not? "Talk is cheap," but when it's backed up by a **positive guarantee**, by a house of long established reputation, for honesty, integrity and sound financial standing, then words mean *business!* And that's just what the World's Dispensary Medical Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., mean in guaranteeing their Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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OH! MY! HEAD!!

Suffering of a New Jersey Senator.—Dyspepsia, Sick Headache.—Terrible Things.

When the stomach is torpid it soon becomes clogged with half digested matters, the blood becomes vitiated and foul; the other organs fail to act normally, and induces a train of symptoms, such as dyspepsia, sick headache, dizziness, drowsiness, palpitation of the heart, pain in the back, loss of appetite.

"There are few things that I believe in with all my heart and it affords me pleasure to tell of one of them." The speaker was ex-Senator Albert Merritt, head of the large fruit firm, 98 Park Place, N. Y., and the scene his office. "I was sick and feared I had become fated to endure the

Tortures of Dyspepsia

and a dangerous affection of the kidneys. A relative said to me, 'Why don't you try Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y.' I did so. I grew steadily better, I could eat, digest, sleep and work with a clearer head, and the yellow color of my skin had given place to the tones that announce pure blood and every organ of the body in healthy action. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is entitled to the credit of saving my life. If any one has a doubt about the truth of my statements let him write to me. I can give you the names and addresses of fifty persons who affirm, as I do, that 'Favorite Remedy' has been to them a help and a blessing in time of need." Mr. A. DeBevere, Tarrytown, N. Y., says: "For a long time I was troubled with severe attacks of dizziness and

Blind Sick Headache

due to impure blood and a disordered state of the system. I was advised to try Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. I did so and have been completely cured. It's the best thing I ever heard of for any disorder of that nature, and I have recommended it to many with like success." Mr. Daniel Fitts, Taunton, Mass., says: "I recommend Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy for dyspepsia and sick headache. I suffered for many years with those complaints, and was cured by Dr. Kennedy's

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Why suffer with Boils? Why rave with that terrible Headache? Why lay and toss on that bed of pain, with Rheumatism? Why make you tremble so?—Your nerves are all unstrung, and need a gentle soothing tonic to assist nature to repair the damage which your excesses have caused. Sulphur Bitters is not a cheap Rum or poor Whiskey drink, to be taken by the glass, like other preparations, which stimulate only TO DESTROY. If you have failed to receive any benefit from other medicines or doctors, do not despair. Use SULPHUR BITTERS. They will cure you where all others fail. No person can remain long sick who uses

SULPHUR Bitters. The Dose is small—only a teaspoonful. It is the best and cheapest medicine. Try it, and you will be satisfied. Get it of your Druggist. DON'T WAIT. GET IT AT ONCE.

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HOW SLAVES ARE PREPARED IN AFRICA TO EAT.

Fattening slaves in a park and feeding them up like animals destined for the table, and then leading them to a shambles where they are slaughtered like oxen, cut into pieces and shared by bits to hungry cannibals—such is the practice which is permitted, according to Mr. Fondese, a French explorer, in some of the French, Belgian and Portuguese and even British territories in Ubanghi. M. Fondese was sent out three years ago by the French Government to discover the sources of the Niarguillon, and, having returned after the successful accomplishment of his task, he hastens to tell his countrymen all about the terrible things he has seen in his travels.

"The "fattening parks" or paddocks are, he says, to be seen in each village and contain men and women who have been taken in war. The poor wretches take their doom philosophically, and some of them to whom Mr. Fondese offered freedom actually refused it. They eat, drink, dance and sing until the head "fetishman" comes around, accompanied by an orchestra of tom tom and tin-kettle players, selects a sufficiently fat specimen, carries him or her to the market place of the village and splits his or her head with a hatchet or scythe-like knife. The eyes and tongue of the victim are given to the "boss" fetish, and the rest of the body is divided among the anthropophagi.—*Chicago Times.*

Dr. Gale on Diseases of the Kidneys.

Dr. Gale observes in his treatise on disease that the great use of wine in France is supposed to have abated the prevalence of the gravel.

In some parts of this country where Speer's Port Grape Wine is principally used, not only the gout, but the gravel is scarcely known. Dr. La Pota relates as an extraordinary instance of the effects of Speer's Port Wine on gout the cure of Dr. Daveran, who was attacked with it at the age of twenty five, and had it severely till he was upwards of fifty, with chalk stones in the joints of his hands and feet, but for four years preceding the time when his case had been given to Dr. La Pota to lay before the public he had by advice used Speer's Port Grape Wine, and had no return of the gout afterwards.—*London Post.*

JOHN BROWN'S FORT.

A RELIC OF ANTE-BELLUM DAYS TO BE DEMOLISHED.

The old engine house used by the great anti-slavery leader and his followers as a place of refuge from the soldiers and citizens surrounding them is to be demolished, and will disappear forever, unless the as yet unsubstantial rumor that it has been purchased by an association of Eastern gentlemen for removal to Philadelphia should be true.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has decided upon a very important change in its main line at that place, the new survey running directly through the old engine house. Tens of thousands have gazed with interest upon the "fort" from car windows and platforms since the war, and the demolition of the old building will be regretted by many all over the country.

WHAT IRRIGATION WILL DO.

GREAT RESULTS ANTICIPATED IN THE NEXT DECADE THROUGH THE WESTERN STATES.

It is my opinion that irrigation will be the means of doubling the population of every state and territory within the coming ten years. I further believe that in the East, where the rainfall is heavy but uncertain, irrigation will ultimately be resorted to in order to insure greater regularity of crops. Four tenths of the area of the United States, not including Alaska, require irrigation. This territory includes parts of California, Texas, Kansas, Nebraska, Nevada, Oregon, all of Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming Montana and portions of Dakota and Washington.

Through this vast territory there flow a number of streams with narrow valleys capable of cultivation. In these valleys settlers have taken up their abode, cities have been built and now the cry is for more room. The room is there, and the only thing needed to make the broad sunburned plains vie with valleys is irrigation. The sentiment in favor of this method of reclaiming lands is growing strong, and I predict that ten years will witness a revolution.—*Gen. John B. Bowman in the Kansas City Times.*

"REFUSING" NEWSPAPERS.

Once in a while every newspaper office receives a copy of their paper marked "refused." Nine cases out of ten the party returning it is indebted to the office for subscription. It will be interesting to such to learn that the latest postal laws are such that newspaper publishers can arrest any one for fraud who takes a paper and refuses to pay for it. Under this law the man who allows his subscription to run along for some time unpaid and then order it discontinued, or tells the postmaster to mark it "refused" and have postal card sent notifying the publisher can arrest and fine, the same as for theft, etc.

All the Difference in the World.

"And will you not be mine?" He asked tenderly, as he took her hand.

"No, Percy," she replied, "I can never marry a horse doctor; but the moment you become a veterinary surgeon I am yours."—*Judge.*

A Hint on the Use of Words.

"You should be polite to the gentler sex, my boy," said old Parrot in the street car; "get up and give that lady your seat."

"Gentle sex!" retorted the bold, bad, urchin. "It's a long time, Mister, I guess, since you felt a slipper!"—*Munsey's Weekly.*

CATARRH,

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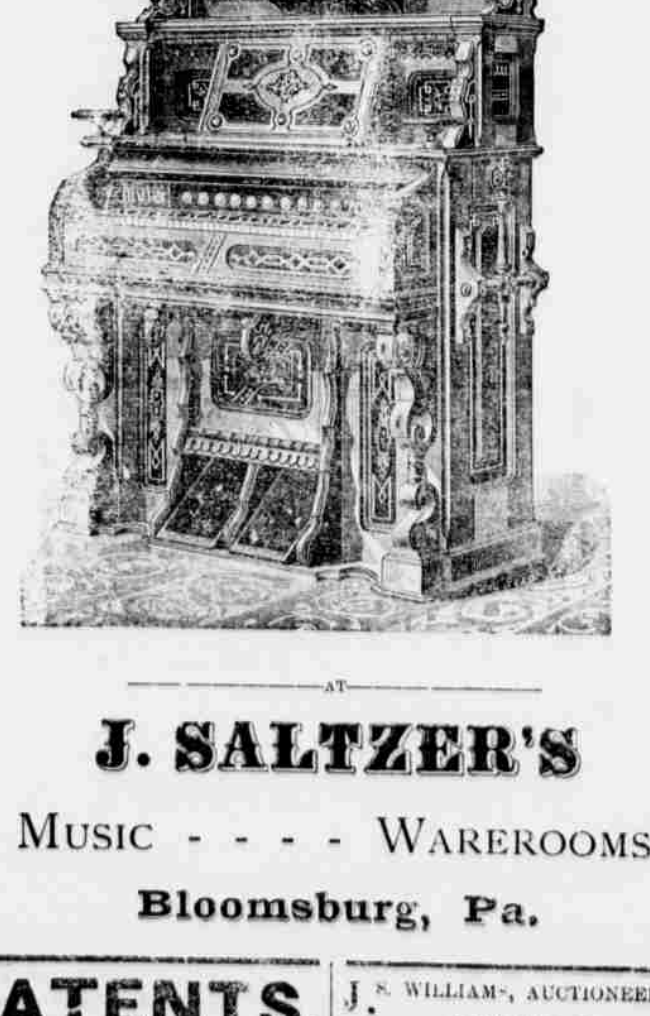
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DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH.			
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	5 40	1 50	10 00	6 15
Cameron	5 55	....	10 15	6 30
Chulasky	....	....	10 19	....
Danville	6 09	2 11	10 23	6 41
Catawissa	6 25	....	10 43	6 58
Rupert	6 31	2 30	10 50	7 05
Bloomsburg	6 34	2 35	10 57	7 12
Espy	6 42	2 41	11 05	7 20
Lime Ridge	6 51	....	11 12	7 27
Willow Grove	6 51	....	11 18	7 31
Briarcreek	6 54	....	11 20	7 35
Berwick	7 05	2 59	11 27	7 42
Beach Haven	7 11	....	11 34	7 49
Hick's Ferry	7 18	....	11 38	7 55
Shickshinny	7 30	3 20	11 48	8 06
Hunlock's	7 43	....	11 58	8 17
Nanticoke	7 50	3 36	12 05	8 24
Avondale	7 54	....	12 10	8 28
Plymouth	7 59	3 45	12 15	8 33
Plymouth Junction	8 01	....	12 20	8 38
Kingston	8 08	3 53	12 27	8 45
Bennett	8 12	....	12 31	8 49
Maltby	8 17	....	12 35	8 53
Wyoming	8 22	4 02	12 40	8 58
West Pittston	8 27	4 05	12 45	9 03
Pittston	8 33	4 11	12 54	9 09
Lackawanna	8 40	....	1 01	9 17
Taylorville	8 48	....	1 09	9 25
Bellevue	8 54	....	1 15	9 30
SCRANTON	9 01	4 28	1 20	9 35
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

STATIONS.	SOUTH.			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 10	9 50	1 55	6 20
Bellevue	6 15	9 55	....	6 25
Taylorville	6 20	10 00	2 02	6 33
Lackawanna	6 28	10 08	2 10	6 37
Pittston	6 34	10 16	2 18	6 45
West Pittston	6 42	10 22	2 24	6 50
Wyoming	6 47	10 27	2 29	6 55
Maltby	6 51	10 30	....	6 59
Bennett	6 55	10 34	2 37	7 03
Kingston	6 58	10 38	2 40	7 07
Plymouth Junction	7 05	10 42	2 45	7 12
Plymouth	7 10	10 47	2 50	7 16
Avondale	7 14	10 51	2 55	7 21
Nanticoke	7 19	10 55	2 59	7 25
Hunlock's	7 26	11 02	3 06	7 43
Shickshinny	7 37	11 12	3 20	7 55
Hick's Ferry	7 55	11 22	3 31	8 07
Beach Haven	8 01	11 34	3 40	8 13
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Bloomsburg	8 32	12 06	4 15	8 47
Rupert	8 37	12 12	4 22	8 52
Catawissa	8 42	12 17	4 28	8 57
Danville	8 57	12 32	4 46	9 15
Chulasky	....	....	4 54	....
Cameron	9 07	12 41	5 00	9 28
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 21	12 55	5 15	9 45
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TIME TABLE.

In effect MAY 12 1889. Trains leave Sunbury

EASTWARD

9.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York 5.50 p. m.; Baltimore, 2.50 p. m.; Washington 4.00 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.43 p. m.—Day Express daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.; New York, 9.35 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 8.10 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.00 p. m.—Renovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m.; New York 7.10 a. m. Baltimore, 5.15 a. m.; Washington 6.30 a. m.; Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 a. m. New York, 9.30 a. m.; Through Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

2.50 a. m.—Southern Express (daily) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 7.20, and Washington 8.45, and through Pullman Sleeping cars to Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily), for Erie and at Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.53—News Express (daily) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1.43 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Watkins.

5.30 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

10.42 p. m. Williamsport Express (daily except Sunday) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Baltimore, 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily arriving at Sunbury 9.53. a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 8.50 a. m.; Washington 8.10 a. m. Baltimore 9.00 a. m. (daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury, 1.43 p.m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 9.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.50 a. m.; Washington, 9.50 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m. with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Williamsport Express leaves New York 3.00 p. m. Philadelphia 5.31 p. m. Washington 2.50 p. m. Baltimore 4.30 p. m. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 10.42 p. m.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.25 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.20 p. m., (daily) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m., with through Pullman Sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

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Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.26 p. m., Wilkes-barre 7.50 p. m.

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 11.17 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12.37 p. m., Sunbury 1.30 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 3.05 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.30 p. m., Sunbury 5.20p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Wilkesbarre mail leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12.10 a.m.

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